

provided. If satisfactory evidence is presented, the Board shall certify this fact and the amount of the matching fund to the State Treasurer, and the proceeds of the loan equal to the amount of the matching fund shall be expended for the purposes provided in this Act. Any amount of the loan in excess of the amount of the matching fund certified by the Board of Public Works shall be canceled and be of no further effect.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2000.

Approved April 25, 2000.

CHAPTER 199

(House Bill 1417)

AN ACT concerning

Washington County - Washington County Water and Sewer Debt Reduction Fund

FOR the purpose of establishing the Washington County Water and Sewer Debt Reduction Fund; requiring the County Commissioners for Washington County to appropriate a certain amount to the Fund annually; providing that a certain appropriation to the Fund is in addition to funds appropriated for a certain other purpose; requiring that the amount of any reduction in a certain subsidy be appropriated to the Fund under certain circumstances; making this Act contingent on the taking effect of a certain other ~~Act~~ Acts; and generally relating to the Washington County Water and Sewer Debt Reduction Fund.

BY adding to

- The Public Local Laws of Washington County
- Section 6-505
- Article 22 - Public Local Laws of Maryland
- (1991 Edition and December 1997 Supplement, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 22 - Washington County

6-505.

- (A) THERE IS A WASHINGTON COUNTY WATER AND SEWER DEBT REDUCTION FUND.
- (B) THE FUND IS A CONTINUOUS, NONLAPSING FUND.
- (C) (1) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL ANNUALLY APPROPRIATE \$500,000 TO THE FUND.