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CHAPTER 160

(Senate Bill 523)

AN ACT concerning

Heritage Structure Rehabilitation Tax Credit - Transfer of Credit

FOR the purpose of providing that certain tax credits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations may be allocated in a certain manner among the partners, members, or shareholders of an entity making the qualified rehabilitation expenditures; allowing a business entity or individual to transfer certain tax eredits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations to another business entity or individual under certain circumstances; allowing a business entity or individual to whom certain tax credits are transferred to claim a certain tax eredit; providing that a business entity or individual to whom certain tax credits are transferred is entitled to rely on certain information-received from the business entity or individual transferring the credit; providing a subtraction modification under the Maryland income tax for certain amounts received by an individual or corporation in consideration of the transfer of certain tax credits: altering a certain definition for purposes of certain tax credits for certified heritage structure rehabilitations to exclude certain structures owned by certain governments; making certain tax credits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations refundable under certain circumstances; providing for certain recapture of certain tax credits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations under certain circumstances; specifying the revenue effect of certain refunds payable under certain tax credits; providing that certain persons may file certain tax returns to claim refunds of certain tax credits under certain circumstances; requiring the Director of the Maryland Historical Trust to submit a certain report annually to the Governor and General Assembly on certain credits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations; requiring certain persons subject to certain recapture provisions to file certain reports or returns under certain circumstances; repealing certain tax credits as to the financial institution franchise tax and the public service company franchise tax; including certain tax-exempt organizations within the definition of business entity under a certain tax credit for certain heritage structure rehabilitations; providing that under certain circumstances certain provisions of law in effect on a certain date shall apply to the certified heritage structure rehabilitation credit for certain projects; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to allowing the transfer of certain tax credits for certain heritage structure rehabilitations from one business entity or individual to another business entity or individual.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 83B - Department of Housing and Community Development