

a proposal; ~~requiring the Governor to include funds in the State budget to implement the Program~~ authorizing the Governor to make certain appropriations for the Fund; providing that certain funding for the Program may not supplant certain other existing funding; ~~requiring~~ authorizing the Department to adopt certain regulations; defining certain terms; declaring the intent of the General Assembly; providing for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to the Summer Opportunity Pilot Program under the Department of Juvenile Justice.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 83C – Juvenile Justice

Section 2-111(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 83C – Juvenile Justice

Section 2-134

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

**Article 83C – Juvenile Justice**

2-111.

(b) The Department shall:

(1) [develop] DEVELOP programs for the predelinquent child whose behavior tends to lead to contact with law enforcement agencies; AND

(2) ADMINISTER THE SUMMER OPPORTUNITY PILOT PROGRAM UNDER § 2-134 OF THIS TITLE.

2-134.

(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) "FUND" MEANS THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE SUMMER OPPORTUNITY PILOT PROGRAM FUND.

(3) "PROGRAM" MEANS THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE SUMMER OPPORTUNITY PILOT PROGRAM.

(B) (1) THERE IS A DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE SUMMER OPPORTUNITY PILOT PROGRAM IN NOT MORE THAN THREE COUNTIES IN THE STATE SELECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

(2) THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM IS TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT