

(II) DOES NOT PROVIDE WATER SERVICE TO THE PROPERTY AND WATER SERVICE IS PROVIDED TO THE PROPERTY BY ANOTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

(2) IF A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION ADVISES ANOTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THAT A BILL FOR SEWERAGE SERVICE IS UNPAID FOR 30 DAYS AFTER BEING SENT, SUBJECT TO THE NOTICE PROVISIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION INFORMED OF THE UNPAID BILL MAY DISCONNECT WATER SERVICE TO THE PROPERTY.

(D) BEFORE RECONNECTING WATER SERVICE, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY REQUIRE FULL PAYMENT OF THE SEWERAGE BILL PLUS A RECONNECTION CHARGE REASONABLY RELATED TO THE COST OF RECONNECTION, AS ESTABLISHED BY REGULATION OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

(E) THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT PRECLUDE THE USE OF ANY OTHER PROCEDURE AVAILABLE TO A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION TO COLLECT UNPAID SEWERAGE CHARGES.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 9-662(n) of Article - Environment of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act may not be construed to have any effect on any action taken by or initiated by the Garrett County Sanitary Commission pursuant to Chapter 448 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1997.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

Approved May 18, 2001.

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## CHAPTER 713

(House Bill 1260)

AN ACT concerning

### Maryland Heritage Areas Authority Financing Fund

FOR the purpose of ~~repealing~~ *extending* a termination provision relating to the uses of Program Open Space funds in the Maryland Heritage Areas Authority Financing Fund.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Financial Institutions

Section 13-1114

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)