

(a) For fiscal 2004, ~~\$6,000,000~~ \$5,000,000 of the balance of the Maryland Emergency Medical System Operations Fund established under § 13-955 of the Transportation Article may be transferred by approved budget amendment to the Low Interest Revolving Loan Account established under Article 38A, § 46E of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

(b) If the transfer authorized under subsection (a) of this section is not made for fiscal 2004, the Governor shall include in the fiscal 2005 annual budget bill a special fund appropriation from the Maryland Emergency Medical System Operations Fund to the Low Interest Revolving Loan Account in the amount of ~~\$6,000,000~~ \$5,000,000.

(c) For each of the first ~~6~~ 5 fiscal years beginning with the fiscal year after the fiscal year for which the transfer is made under subsection (a) of this section or the appropriation under subsection (b) of this section is included in the annual budget, \$1,000,000 of the funds in the Low Interest Revolving Loan Account shall be transferred to the Maryland Emergency Medical System Operations Fund.

(d) For fiscal year 2004 only, \$403,744 of the funds in the Maryland Emergency Medical System Operations Fund established under § 13-955 of the Transportation Article may be transferred by approved budget amendment to the Emergency Assistance Trust Account established under Article 38A, § 46A of the Code and used for the authorized purposes of the Emergency Assistance Trust Account.

SECTION 14. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) For fiscal year 2004, prior to making the reimbursements required under § 9-104(q) of the Tax – Property Article, the Department of Assessments and Taxation shall deduct from the funds due each county the following amounts to reimburse a portion of the State's cost of property tax administration:

Allegany	\$77,328
Anne Arundel	1,054,330
Baltimore City	564,840
Baltimore County	1,312,406
Calvert	176,951
Caroline	38,820
Carroll	283,760
Cecil	144,585
Charles	241,950
Dorchester	46,104
Frederick	388,249
Garrett	58,536
Harford	370,418
Howard	638,601
Kent	40,879
Montgomery	2,419,823
Prince George's	1,233,298
Queen Anne's	98,138
St. Mary's	154,180
Somerset	21,574
Talbot	110,398