

RESOURCES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE UNDER TITLE IV-E OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT ARE REDUCED BECAUSE THE PERCENTAGE OF RESIDENTIAL CARE COSTS ALLOCATED TO TITLE IV-E IS REDUCED, THE GOVERNOR SHALL ADJUST THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION TO PREVENT ANY RESULTING LOSS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE.

(3) THE ADJUSTMENT OF FUNDS UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE BASED ON DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF TITLE IV-E REIMBURSEMENT THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE PRIOR TO OCTOBER 1, 2003 USING THE CURRENT PERCENTAGE OF RESIDENTIAL CARE COSTS THAT IS ALLOCATED TO TITLE IV-E.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall monitor the status of the application for a waiver amendment from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services applied for in accordance with § 15-136 of the Health - General Article as enacted by Section 1 of this Act. The Department, within 5 working days of the date of the approval or denial of the waiver amendment, shall notify the Department of Legislative Services, in writing, at 90 State Circle, Annapolis, Maryland, 21401. If the waiver amendment is denied by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, at the end of the date on which the Department of Legislative Services receives notice of the denial, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2003.

Approved May 22, 2003.

CHAPTER 429

(House Bill 424)

AN ACT concerning

**Baltimore City - Condemnation - Immediate Possession and Title -
Distressed Property**

FOR the purpose of authorizing certain proceedings for the condemnation and immediate taking of certain properties in Baltimore City; clarifying that Baltimore City shall assure that an owner-occupant or tenant who is displaced under this Act is offered certain assistance and payments under certain circumstances; requiring a court to dismiss a certain condemnation petition if an owner of distressed property satisfies certain liens before the court vests title to the distressed property under certain circumstances; granting exclusive original civil jurisdiction of a certain condemnation proceeding to the District Court in certain circumstances; defining a certain term; making stylistic changes; and