- General Article does not apply to the receipt of property from a decedent who died as a result of wounds or injury incurred on September 11, 2001 as a result of the terrorist attacks against the United States on that date.
- (2) Paragraph (1) of this subsection does not apply to the estate of a decedent whom the register of wills determines was a perpetrator of a terrorist attack against the United States on September 11, 2001.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed to apply retroactively and shall be applied to and interpreted to affect the estates of all decedents who died as a result of wounds or injury incurred on September 11, 2001 as a result of the terrorist attacks against the United States on September 11, 2001 that date.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

Approved April 25, 2002.

## **CHAPTER 99**

(House Bill 300)

AN ACT concerning

## Higher Education - Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program - Eligibility

FOR the purpose of altering the eligibility requirements of the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program to include certain survivors of Maryland residents killed in certain acts of terrorism terrorist attacks; establishing a certain limit on the amount of the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship that may be awarded to a child or spouse of a victim of certain terrorist attacks; defining a certain term; and generally relating to the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education

Section 18-601

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume)

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