Special Taxing District, for the development and utilization of the land, each with respect to any defined geographic region with the County;

- (B) CONVENTION CENTERS, CONFERENCE CENTERS, AND VISITORS' CENTERS:
- (C) INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS MAINTENANCE AND MAINTENANCE OF CONVENTION CENTERS, CONFERENCE CENTERS, AND VISITORS' CENTERS: AND
- (D) MARKETING THE SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT FACILITIES AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS.

21A-108.

(a) The Authority may issue bonds for the purpose of financing or refinancing, in whole or in part, the cost of any one or more of the projects undertaken by the Authority INCLUDING BONDS ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 9–1301 OF ARTICLE 24 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE AND TITLE 14, SUBTITLE 2 OF ARTICLE 41 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE.

21A-109.

- (a) As specified by local law, and to the extent not inconsistent with any constitutional or Charter provision or any public general or public local law, the County may:
- (1) Assign, pledge, grant, contribute, or provide to the Authority any taxes, INCLUDING HOTEL RENTAL TAXES, rates, rentals, fees, charges, or other funds held or receivable by the County for any purpose, including as additional security for any bonds of the Authority; and

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2002.

Approved May 16, 2002.

## CHAPTER 586

(House Bill 1017)

AN ACT concerning

## Charles County - New School Capacity Financing Mechanism

FOR the purpose of establishing a new school capacity financing mechanism in Charles County; repealing certain provisions of law requiring a developer of certain land to reimburse the county for costs of constructing additional public school facilities; authorizing the County Commissioners to issue borrow not more than \$100,000,000 by issuing certain bonds on the full faith and credit of the county; authorizing the County Commissioners to levy an excise tax, not to