and Environmental Affairs Committee, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

- (a) During the creation of the regulations and model ordinance required under § 4–203(b)(5)(ii) of the Environment Article, as enacted by this Act, the Department of the Environment shall seek the input of interested parties, including each county and municipality that operates a stormwater management program.
- (b) The Department shall work with the counties, municipalities, and other interested parties to address any reasonable concern raised by the parties.

SECTION 2-4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2007.

Approved by the Governor, April 24, 2007.

CHAPTER 123

(Senate Bill 16)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City – Local Government Tort Claims Act – Baltimore Public Markets Corporation and Lexington Market, Inc.

FOR the purpose of including the Baltimore Public Markets Corporation, in Baltimore City, in the definition of local government "local government" for the purposes of the Local Government Tort Claims Act; providing that Baltimore Public Markets Corporation may not raise a certain defense; providing for the application of this Act; providing that a certain notice requirement does not apply to a certain action for unliquidated damages; and generally relating to the Local Government Tort Claims Act and the Baltimore Public Markets Corporation and Lexington Market, Inc., in Baltimore City.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 5–301(d) and 5–303(f), 5–303(f), and 5–304(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (2006 Replacement Volume)