THE STATE SHALL BEAR THE NONFEDERAL PORTION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM FOR EACH COUNTY.

(C) DUTIES OF LOCAL DEPARTMENTS.

EACH LOCAL DEPARTMENT SHALL ADMINISTER THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM:

- (1) UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT; AND
- (2) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT AND FEDERAL LAW.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 88A, § 88(a).

In subsection (a) of this section, the former requirement that "the City of Baltimore and all counties ... participate" in the food stamp program is deleted as obsolete. Ch. 264, Acts of 1979 repealed local funding requirements for the food stamp program.

In subsection (b) of this section, the reference to "each county" is substituted for the former reference to "the respective jurisdictions" for consistency throughout this article.

In the introductory language of subsection (c) of this section, the reference to "each local department" is substituted for the former reference to "the City of Baltimore and all counties of the State" to conform to current practice.

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, the reference to "federal law" is substituted for the former reference to "federal statutes, rules and regulations" for brevity.

Also in subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former reference to "rules" is deleted in light of the reference to "regulations". See General Revisor's Note to article.

Also in subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former reference to "applicable" federal law is deleted as surplusage.

Defined terms: "County" § 1–101 "Department" § 5–101 "Local department" § 5–101

REVISOR'S NOTE TO SECTION:

Former Art. 88A, § 88(b) and (c), which required local jurisdictions to enter into written agreements with the Department for the implementation and administration of the food stamp program, authorized the Department to administer the program in a local jurisdiction that failed or refused to participate, and authorized the Department to file an action to compel a local jurisdiction to fulfill its federal requirements, are deleted as unnecessary in light of subsection (c) of this section, which requires the