## CHAPTER 203

(Senate Bill 895)

## AN ACT concerning

Public Safety Employees Killed in the Performance of Duties - Helicopter
Pilots and Aviation Maintenance Technicians Public Safety Aviation
Employees - Death Benefits

FOR the purpose of defining the term "rescue equad member" as it relates including certain public safety aviation employees within certain provisions relating to eligibility for certain death benefits and funeral expenses so as to include certain helicepter pilets and aviation maintenance technicians; and generally relating to death benefits for public safety employees killed in the performance of duties.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Public Safety

Section 1-202

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2003 Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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

## Article - Public Safety

1-202.

- (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (2) (i) "Child" means a natural or adopted, legitimate or illegitimate child or stepchild of the decedent.
  - (ii) "Child" includes a child or stepchild born posthumously.
- (3) "Correctional officer" has the meaning stated in § 8–201(e)(1) of the Correctional Services Article.
- (4) (i) "Law enforcement officer" has the meaning stated in § 3-101 of this article.
  - (ii) "Law enforcement officer" includes: