Administration may apply the federal Social Security Act, another federal law, or both.

Also in item (3) of this section, the former reference to the Social Security Act "and any amendments and supplements thereto" is deleted in light of Art. 1, § 21, which provides that whenever a provision of law refers to any other law, the reference applies to any subsequent amendment to that other law unless the referring provision expressly provides otherwise.

Defined term: "Administration" § 4–101

4–303. RECOUPMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO RECOUP OVERPAYMENTS MADE TO RECIPIENTS THAT THE STATE IS AUTHORIZED TO RECOUP UNDER FEDERAL LAW.

(B) PROCEDURE.

THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL ESTABLISH AN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW, TO BE FOLLOWED WHEN THE ADMINISTRATION HAS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT AN OVERPAYMENT HAS BEEN MADE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 88A, § 16A.

In subsections (a) and (b) of this section, the former references to "applicable" federal law are deleted as surplusage.

Also in subsections (a) and (b) of this section, the former references to federal "rules, regulations, or guidelines" are deleted as included in the references to federal "law".

In subsection (b) of this section, the former reference to "October 1, 1977" is deleted as obsolete.

Defined term: "Administration" § 4–101

GENERAL REVISOR'S NOTE TO TITLE:

Former Art. 88A, § 4A, which stated the intent that any requirement for a local government contribution to the costs of social services or public assistance programs was intended to be repealed and terminated when Art. 88A, § 18A was repealed in 1978, and which repealed any provision of the Code inconsistent with that intent, appears to be obsolete. However, to avoid any inadvertent substantive effect its repeal might have, it is transferred to the Session Laws.

Throughout this title, the defined term "Administration" is substituted for the former obsolete references to the "State Administration" and the "State Department".