ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS and the Secretary's order, if any, pursuant to such proceedings. The court's review shall be limited to a determination of whether there was a violation of any right of the inmate protected by federal or State laws or constitutional requirements.

[(m)](L) Further judicial review of a final judgment of the circuit court of the county may not be under the Administrative Procedure Act, but shall be by application for leave to appeal to the Court of Special Appeals. An application for leave to appeal may be filed by any party aggrieved by the decision of the circuit court. Procedures shall be as prescribed by rule of the Court of Appeals.

## Article - State Government

## 9-1601.

- (a) This subtitle does not apply to:
  - (1) the Governor;
  - (2) the Comptroller of the Treasury;
- $\{(3)$  the Inmate Grievance Commission and the inmate adjustment hearing officers;
  - $\{(4)\}$  (3) the Public Service Commission;
  - $\{(5)\}$  (4) the Workmen's Compensation Commission;
  - $\{(6)\}$  (5) the Parole Commission;
  - ₹(7)<del>} (6)</del> the Health Services Cost Review Commission; and
  - $\{(8)\}$  (7) the Health Resources Planning Commission.
- (b) Except as provided in subsection (a) of this section, this subtitle shall apply to each agency that employs or engages one or more hearing officers to adjudicate contested cases unless the agency has been exempted by the Governor under subsection (c) of this section.
- (c) Until July 1, 1994, the Governor may temporarily exempt an agency from this subtitle.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1991.

Approved April 30, 1991.