

~~(H)~~ (3) THE PERSON SUBMITS DOCUMENTATION SATISFACTORY TO THE ~~ADMINISTRATION~~ DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBSECTION; AND

~~(H)~~ (4) THE PERSON SUBMITS THE OTHER INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1992.

Approved May 12, 1992.

CHAPTER 303

(House Bill 299)

AN ACT concerning

Local Government Tort Claims Act – Punitive Damages – Indemnification

FOR the purpose of authorizing a local government to indemnify an employee for a judgment for punitive damages entered against the employee under certain circumstances; providing a certain exception; prohibiting a local government from entering into a certain agreement; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 5-403

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1989 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

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

Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

5-403.

(a) The liability of a local government may not exceed \$200,000 per an individual claim, and \$500,000 per total claims that arise from the same occurrence for damages resulting from tortious acts or omissions, including liability arising under subsection (b) of this section AND INDEMNIFICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION.

(b) (1) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, a local government shall be liable for any judgment against its employee for damages resulting from tortious acts or omissions committed by the employee within the scope of employment with the local government.