

Chapter 660 of the Acts of 1997

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That:

(1) The Board of Public Works may borrow money and incur indebtedness on behalf of the State of Maryland through a State loan to be known as the Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 1997 in the total principal amount of [\$384,753,000] \$384,574,000. This loan shall be evidenced by the issuance, sale, and delivery of State general obligation bonds authorized by a resolution of the Board of Public Works and issued, sold, and delivered in accordance with Sections 8-117 through 8-124 of the State Finance and Procurement Article and Article 31, Section 22 of the Code.

Section 1(3)

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MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
(Baltimore City)

- (A) New Fine Arts Center. Construct a new Fine Arts Center on the Montebello campus [, provided that the scope of the project may not exceed 115,000 gross square feet, which represents the amount contained in the program plan approved in March 1995]. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the total State cost not exceed \$33 million which is the estimated cost based on the approved program 27,302,000

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CHELTENHAM YOUTH FACILITY
(Prince George's County)

- (A) [Detention Center] COMMITTED YOUTH BUILDING. Prepare preliminary AND DETAILED plans [for the construction of a Detention Center to replace the existing] AND RENOVATE THE STAFF DORMITORY TO SERVE AS A COMMITTED YOUTH BUILDING [facility], supplementary to federal funds made available for this purpose[, provided that these funds may not be expended until an approved program plan with a Department of General Services cost estimate is presented to the General Assembly, and the budget committees have reviewed and commented on the plan and cost estimate or 45 days have elapsed from the date the plan and cost estimate are submitted] 60,000

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE

- (A) Crime Lab Additions and Alterations. Provide capital equipment for the State Police Lab (Baltimore County) [179,000]

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SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the General Assembly declares that it is the public policy of this State to manage State general obligation bond debt in a manner that will maintain Maryland's AAA bond rating. The General