

SECTION ~~16~~ 16. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 7 and ~~10~~ 9, and 11 of this Act shall take effect June 1, 1998.

SECTION ~~8~~ ~~16~~ 17. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in Sections ~~5~~ 6, ~~6~~ and ~~7~~ ~~11~~ 12, ~~12~~ 13, ~~13~~ 14, and ~~15~~ 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 of this Act, this Act shall take effect ~~June 1, 1998~~ July 1, 1999.

Approved May 21, 1998.

CHAPTER 775

(Senate Bill 770)

AN ACT concerning

Harford County and ~~Washington~~ Charles Counties - Property Tax Program - Real Property in Rural Legacy Program

FOR the purpose of authorizing the governing body of Harford County and the governing body of ~~Washington~~ Charles County to grant, by law, a property tax credit against the county property tax imposed on certain real property that is located in a Rural Legacy Area for which the property owner has sold the development rights under the Rural Legacy Program; authorizing the governing body of Harford County and the governing body of ~~Washington~~ Charles County to provide for the conditions of eligibility and method of application for and the amount of the property tax credit; and generally relating to a property tax credit in Harford County and in ~~Washington~~ Charles County for real property in the Rural Legacy Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Tax - Property

~~Section 9-314(a)(1)(xi) and (xii) and 9-323(e)~~

Section 9-310 and 9-314(a)(1)(xi) and (xii)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Tax - Property

Section 9-314(a)(1)(xiii) and (7)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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