

(B) FINANCING.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, THE SECRETARY MAY USE MONEY TO FINANCE A SPECIALIZED SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT COMPANY FROM ACCOUNTS WITHIN:

(1) THE ENTERPRISE FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBTITLE 6 OF THIS TITLE; AND

(2) THE MARYLAND SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBTITLE 5 OF THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 83A, § 5-104.

In subsection (b) of this section, the word "money" is substituted for the former reference to "funds" for consistency throughout this article.

Also in subsection (b) of this section, the former reference to accounts "within the Department" is deleted as implicit.

Defined term: "Secretary" § 1-101

5-105. FOCUS AREAS AND ENTERPRISE ZONES.

WHEN DECIDING WHETHER TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR A BUSINESS PROJECT, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONSIDER WHETHER THE PROJECT WILL BE LOCATED IN AN ENTERPRISE ZONE OR A FOCUS AREA AS DESIGNATED UNDER SUBTITLE 7 OF THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 83A, § 5-105.

Defined term: "Department" § 1-101

5-106. CONTACT FOR MILITARY INSTALLATION REALIGNMENT AND CLOSURE.

THE SECRETARY SHALL DESIGNATE A UNIT IN THE DEPARTMENT TO BE THE SINGLE CONTACT FOR ISSUES RELATING TO REALIGNMENT AND CLOSURE OF MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IN THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 83A, § 5-106.

The reference to a "unit" is substituted for the former reference to a "division, agency, office, or other entity". The term "unit" is used as the general term for an entity in State government because it is inclusive enough to include all those entities. See General Revisor's Note to article.

Defined terms: "Department" § 1-101

"Secretary" § 1-101

"State" § 1-101