

Prince George's County health care system pending implementation of the requirements of this Act.

SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that the money for operating expenses that the Prince George's County Hospital Authority receives from the State and Prince George's County in accordance with § 24-1607(c) of the Health - General Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, shall be used only for necessary expenses and kept at a minimum for the purpose of maximizing the funding for the continued operation of the Prince George's County health care system. Any money provided to the Prince George's County Hospital Authority for operating expenses that is neither used nor necessary for use by the Authority shall be transferred to the Dimensions Health Corporation or the new owner or owners of the Prince George's County health care system.

SECTION ~~5~~ ~~6~~ 8. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that State funding for education and public safety purposes will not be affected by any State support for the Prince George's County Hospital Authority.

SECTION ~~6~~ ~~7~~ 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

SECTION ~~8~~ 10. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall remain effective for a period of ~~two~~ 2 years from the date it is enacted and, at the end of ~~two~~ ~~years~~ the 2-year period, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved by the Governor, May 22, 2008.

CHAPTER 681

(House Bill 1048)

AN ACT concerning

Correctional Services - Maryland Correctional Enterprises - Revolving Fund

FOR the purpose of repealing a requirement that certain funds be transferred in certain fiscal years from the Maryland Correctional Enterprises' revolving fund