TITLE 2, CHAPTER 400 OF THE MARYLAND RULES AND MARYLAND RULE 2-510 APPLY TO SUBPOENAS ISSUED UNDER § 9-402 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

9-405.

AN APPLICATION TO THE COURT FOR A PROTECTIVE ORDER OR TO ENFORCE, QUASH, OR MODIFY A SUBPOENA ISSUED BY A CLERK OF COURT UNDER § 9–402 OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RULES AND STATUTES OF THIS STATE AND BE SUBMITTED TO THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY IN WHICH DISCOVERY IS TO BE CONDUCTED.

9-406.

IN APPLYING AND CONSTRUING THIS UNIFORM ACT, CONSIDERATION SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE NEED TO PROMOTE UNIFORMITY OF THE LAW WITH RESPECT TO ITS SUBJECT MATTER AMONG STATES THAT ENACT IT.

9-407.

THIS SUBTITLE MAY BE CITED AS THE MARYLAND UNIFORM INTERSTATE DEPOSITIONS AND DISCOVERY ACT.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act applies to requests for discovery in cases pending on the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2008.

May 22, 2008

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.

President of the Senate State House Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President: