

- (15) the Department of Transportation;
- (16) the University System of Maryland;
- (17) the Maryland Port Commission;
- (18) the State Retirement Agency;
- (19) the Maryland Insurance Administration;
- (20) the Maryland Stadium Authority;
- (21) the State Lottery Agency; and
- (22) the Morgan State University.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on July 1, 2008, all the functions, powers, duties, equipment, assets, liabilities, and employees of the Office of Information Technology in the Department of Budget and Management shall be transferred to the Department of Information Technology.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That all appropriations, including State and federal funds, held by the Department of Budget and Management to carry out the functions and programs transferred under this Act shall be transferred to the Department of Information Technology on the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That an employee transferred under this Act shall be appointed without further examination or qualification. The employee shall be placed in a classification that is comparable in duties and responsibilities to the employee's former position. The employee may not suffer a diminution of salary or wages, accrued leave, whether earned or granted, or seniority rights.

SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That nothing in this Act affects the terms of office of an appointed or elected member of any division, board, commission, authority, council, committee, office, or unit. An individual who is a member of a division, board, commission, authority, council, committee, office, or unit on the effective date of this Act shall remain a member for the balance of the term to which the member is appointed or elected, unless the member sooner dies, resigns, or is removed under provisions of law.

SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as expressly provided to the contrary in this Act, any transaction affected by or flowing from any statute here amended, repealed, or transferred, and validly entered into before the