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## CF HB 186

**By: Senator Middlebrooks** 

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Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

## 2 Property Tax Credit - Airport Noise Zone

- 3 FOR the purpose of altering the criteria for granting a property tax credit for certain
- 4 residential real property in a certain airport noise zone.
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 6 Article Tax Property
- 7 Section 9-216
- 8 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 9 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)
- 10 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 11 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## 12 **Article - Tax - Property**

13 9-216.

- 14 (a) The governing body of a county or municipal corporation may grant a property
- 15 tax credit under this section against the applicable county or municipal corporation
- 16 property tax imposed on owner-occupied residential real property situated entirely or in
- 17 part within the [75] 65 LDN noise contour as established by the airportnoise zone
- 18 surrounding Baltimore-Washington International Airport that has been most recently
- 19 adopted by the Maryland Aviation Administration as of the first day of the taxable year.
- 20 (b) The governing body of a county or of a municipal corporation mayprovide, by 21 law, for:
- 22 (1) the amount and duration of the property tax credit under subsection (a)
- 23 of this section; and
- 24 (2) any other provision necessary to carry out the property taxcredit under
- 25 subsection (a) of this section.
- 26 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 27 July 1, 1996.