Unofficial Copy

1997 Regular Session

Q3

EMERGENCY BILL

7lr0414

By: Prince George's County Delegation Introduced and read first time: January 30, 1997 Assigned to: Ways and Means

Committee Report: Favorable with amendments House action: Adopted Read second time: March 22, 1997

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

Takoma Park Unification - County Income Tax Receipts for 1997 PG 416-97

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Comptroller to distribute to Prince George's County5 and Montgomery County in a certain manner the net income tax revenue for a

6 certain taxable year attributable to the county income tax paid by certain residents

7 of the City of Takoma Park; providing for the calculation of the State share of

8 certain basic current expenses, compensatory education funds and the minimum

9 <u>library program in a certain fiscal year for Montgomery and Prince George's</u>

10 <u>Counties</u>; making this Act an emergency measure; and generally relating to the

11 distribution of the net income tax revenue for a certain taxable year attributable to

12 the county income tax paid by certain residents of the City of Takoma Park and the

13 calculation of the State share of education and library expenditures for a certain

14 <u>fiscal year</u>.

15 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

16 MARYLAND, That, notwithstanding the provisions of §§ 2-608 and 10-103(a) of the Tax

17 - General Article, of the net income tax revenue for the 1997 taxable year attributable to

18 the county income tax paid by residents of that part of the City of Takoma Park that until

19 July 1, 1997 will be a part of Prince George's County, the Comptroller shall distribute

20 one-half to Prince George's County and one-half to Montgomery County.

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That for the purpose of

22 calculating the State share of basic current expenses and the compensatory education

23 funds under § 5-202 of the Education Article and the State share of the minimum library

24 program under § 23-505 of the Education Article in Fiscal Year 2000 only:

1	(1) net taxable income for Montgomery County shall exclude one-half of the
2	net taxable income for residents of that part of the City of Takoma Park that prior to July
3	1, 1997 was part of Prince George's County; and

4 (2) net taxable income for Prince George's County shall include one-half of
5 the net taxable income for residents of that part of the City of Takoma Park that prior to
6 July 1, 1997 was part of Prince George's County.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency
measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and 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.