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ENROLLED BILL

-- Ways and Means/Budget and Taxation --

Introduced by Delegates Bozman, Conroy, Howard, Rudolph, Healey, Cane, Boutin, Benson, Kagan, W. Baker, Giannetti, Snodgrass, Walkup, Eckardt, McKee, Conway, Edwards, Elliott, Getty, Stocksdale, Linton, Hutchins, Pitkin, Barve, Guns, Menes, Wood, Shank, Moe, Gordon, McClenahan, Hixson, James, Riley, Hecht, Glassman, Hubbard, and Stull Stull, Carlson, Cryor, Finifter, and Rosso

Read and Examined by Proofreaders: Proofreader. Proofreader. Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this _____day of ______ at _____o'clock, ____M. CHAPTER___ 1 AN ACT concerning 2 **Municipal Local** Revitalization Property Tax Credits - Rehabilitated Real 3 **Property** 4 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City or the governing body of a county or of a municipal corporation to grant, by law, a 5 property tax credit for *real* property that is rehabilitated under regulations 6 7 adopted by the governing body; limiting the amount of the credit and the period for which the credit may be granted; authorizing the Mayor and City Council of 8 Baltimore City or the governing body of a county or of a municipal corporation to 9 10 provide for the amount and duration of the property tax credit, subject to certain limits; authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City or the 11

governing body of a county or of a municipal corporation to limit eligibility for

- 1 the credit or otherwise provide additional requirements for eligibility or
- 2 additional limitations for the tax credit; and generally relating to enabling
- authority for counties and municipal corporations to grant certain property tax
- 4 eredit for *credits for real* property that is rehabilitated.
- 5 BY adding to
- 6 Article Tax Property
- 7 Section 9-236
- 8 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 9 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 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 9-236.
- 14 (A) THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY OR THE GOVERNING
- 15 BODY OF A COUNTY OR OF A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION MAY GRANT, BY LAW, A
- 16 PROPERTY TAX CREDIT UNDER THIS SECTION AGAINST THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL
- 17 CORPORATION PROPERTY TAX IMPOSED ON REAL PROPERTY THAT IS
- 18 REHABILITATED UNDER REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNING BODY.
- 19 (B) (1) A PROPERTY TAX CREDIT GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT
- 20 EXTEND BEYOND THE FIRST 10 YEARS AFTER THE REHABILITATION IS COMPLETED.
- 21 (2) THE AMOUNT OF A TAX CREDIT GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION MAY
- 22 NOT EXCEED THE PROPERTY TAX INCREASE ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE INCREASE IN
- 23 THE ASSESSMENT OF THE REAL PROPERTY OVER THE ASSESSMENT BEFORE THE
- 24 REAL PROPERTY IS REHABILITATED.
- 25 (C) THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY OR THE GOVERNING
- 26 BODY OF A COUNTY OR OF A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION MAY, BY LAW:
- 27 (1) SUBJECT TO THE LIMITATIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS
- 28 SECTION, PROVIDE FOR THE AMOUNT AND DURATION OF A PROPERTY TAX CREDIT
- 29 GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION:
- 30 (2) LIMIT ELIGIBILITY FOR THE CREDIT TO <u>REAL</u> PROPERTY USED FOR
- 31 SPECIFIED PURPOSES OR TO <u>REAL</u> PROPERTY LOCATED IN DESIGNATED
- 32 REVITALIZATION AREAS; OR
- 33 (3) OTHERWISE PROVIDE ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR
- 34 ELIGIBILITY OR ADDITIONAL LIMITATIONS FOR A TAX CREDIT GRANTED UNDER THIS
- 35 SECTION.
- 36 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 37 July 1, 2000.