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By: **Chairman, Judicial Proceedings Committee (Departmental - Juvenile Justice)**

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CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Department of Juvenile Justice - Facilities - Places of Confinement**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing that certain facilities for delinquent or detained  
4 youth are established and operated by the Department of Juvenile Justice and  
5 are considered places of confinement for certain purposes; and generally  
6 relating to juvenile facilities that are used as places of confinement for juveniles.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
8 Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments  
9 Section 136  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (1996 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Article 83C - Juvenile Justice  
14 Section 2-117(a)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
18 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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**Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments**

2 136.

3 (a) In this subheading the following words have the meanings indicated.

4 (b) "Escape" retains its judicially determined meaning.

5 (c) "Place of confinement" means:

6 (1) A correctional facility as defined in § 1-101 of the Correctional  
7 Services Article;

8 (2) A place identified in a home detention order or agreement;

9 (3) A facility of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene;

10 (4) A detention center for juveniles or a facility for juveniles listed in  
11 Article 83C, § 2-117(a)(2) of the Code; or

12 (5) Any other facility in which a person is confined under color of law.

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**Article 83C - Juvenile Justice**

14 2-117.

15 (a) (1) The Department may establish and operate the facilities that are  
16 necessary to diagnose, care for, train, educate, and rehabilitate properly children who  
17 need these services.

18 (2) These facilities include:

19 (I) THE BALTIMORE CITY JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER;

20 [(i)] (II) The J. DeWeese Carter Center;

21 [(ii)] (III) The Charles H. Hickey, Jr. School;

22 [(iii)] (IV) The Alfred D. Noyes Children's Center;

23 [(iv)] (V) THE Cheltenham Youth Facility;

24 (VI) THE VICTOR CULLEN CENTER;

25 [(v)] (VII) The Thomas J. S. Waxter Children's Center; and

26 [(vi)] (VIII) The youth centers.

27 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
28 effect October 1, 2000.

