

SENATE BILL 331

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By: **Senators Van Hollen, Middleton, and Neall**
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Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Property Tax Credits - Construction**

3 FOR the purpose of providing that a law granting or authorizing a property tax credit
4 may not be construed to affect eligibility of any entity for a property tax
5 exemption; providing for the construction of this Act; and generally relating to
6 the construction of laws granting or authorizing property tax credits.

7 BY adding to
8 Article - Tax - Property
9 Section 7-110
10 Annotated Code of Maryland
11 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

14 **Article - Tax - Property**

15 7-110.

16 A LAW THAT GRANTS OR AUTHORIZES A TAX CREDIT UNDER TITLE 9 OF THIS
17 ARTICLE MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO AFFECT THE ELIGIBILITY OF ANY ENTITY FOR
18 A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION PROVIDED UNDER THIS TITLE.

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be applied
20 prospectively only, and with regard to any act granting or authorizing a tax credit
21 under Title 9 of the Tax - Property Article that was enacted before the effective date
22 of this Act, this Act is not intended to create any inference as to eligibility of any
23 entity for a property tax exemption under Title 7 of the Tax - Property Article.

24 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
25 June 1, 2000.