

SENATE BILL 342

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By: **Senator Baker**

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Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Queen Anne's County - Horsehead Education Center Loan of 1999**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the date by which the grantee is required to provide and
4 expend a matching fund in Chapter 222 of the Acts of the General Assembly of
5 1999, the Queen Anne's County - Horsehead Education Center Loan of 1999,
6 from June 1, 2001 to June 1, 2003; and generally relating to the Queen Anne's
7 County - Horsehead Education Center Loan of 1999.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Chapter 222 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999
10 Section 1(5)

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

13 **Chapter 222 of the Acts of 1999**

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
15 MARYLAND, That:

16 (5) Prior to the payment of any funds under the provisions of this Act for the
17 purposes set forth in Section 1(3) above, the grantee shall provide and expend a
18 matching fund. No part of the grantee's matching fund may be provided, either
19 directly or indirectly, from funds of the State, whether appropriated or
20 unappropriated. No part of the fund may consist of real property, in kind
21 contributions, or funds expended prior to the effective date of this Act. In case of any
22 dispute as to the amount of the matching fund or what money or assets may qualify
23 as matching funds, the Board of Public Works shall determine the matter and the
24 Board's decision is final. The grantee has until June 1, [2001] 2003, to present
25 evidence satisfactory to the Board of Public Works that a matching fund will be
26 provided. If satisfactory evidence is presented, the Board shall certify this fact and
27 the amount of the matching fund to the State Treasurer, and the proceeds of the loan
28 equal to the amount of the matching fund shall be expended for the purposes provided
29 in this Act. Any amount of the loan in excess of the amount of the matching fund
30 certified by the Board of Public Works shall be canceled and be of no further effect.

1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 June 1, 2001.