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By: **Senator Lawlah**  
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Assigned to: Rules

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - New Chapel Baptist Church Community Center**  
3 **Loan of 1999**

4 FOR the purpose of altering the date by which the grantee in Chapter 182 of the Acts  
5 of the General Assembly of 1999, Prince George's County - New Chapel Baptist  
6 Church Community Center Loan of 1999, must provide and expend a matching  
7 fund from June 1, 2001 to June 1, 2002; and generally relating to the Prince  
8 George's County - New Chapel Baptist Church Community Center Loan of  
9 1999.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
11 Chapter 182 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999  
12 Section 1(5)

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

15 **Chapter 182 of the Acts of 1999**

16 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
17 MARYLAND, That:

18 (5) Prior to the payment of any funds under the provisions of this Act for  
19 the purposes set forth in Section 1(3) above, the grantee shall provide and expend a  
20 matching fund. No part of the grantee's matching fund may be provided, either  
21 directly or indirectly, from funds of the State, whether appropriated or  
22 unappropriated. No part of the fund may consist of in kind contributions. The  
23 matching fund may consist of real property or funds expended prior to the effective  
24 date of this Act. In case of any dispute as to the amount of the matching fund or what  
25 money or assets may qualify as matching funds, the Board of Public Works shall  
26 determine the matter and the Board's decision is final. The grantee has until June 1,  
27 [2001] 2002, to present evidence satisfactory to the Board of Public Works that a  
28 matching fund will be provided. If satisfactory evidence is presented, the Board shall  
29 certify this fact and the amount of the matching fund to the State Treasurer, and the  
30 proceeds of the loan equal to the amount of the matching fund shall be expended for  
31 the purposes provided in this Act. Any amount of the loan in excess of the amount of

1 the matching fund certified by the Board of Public Works shall be canceled and be of  
2 no further effect.

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