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By: Senators Exum and Pinsky

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A BILL ENTITLED

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- 2 Creation of a State Debt Prince George's County Cheverly Community
 Center
- 4 FOR the purpose of authorizing the creation of a State Debt in the amount of
- \$250,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Mayor and City Council of
- 6 the Town of Cheverly for certain development or improvement purposes;
- 7 providing for disbursement of the loan proceeds; and providing generally for the
- 8 issuance and sale of bonds evidencing the loan.

9 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

10 MARYLAND, That:

- 11 (1) The Board of Public Works may borrow money and incur indebtedness on
- 12 behalf of the State of Maryland through a State loan to be known as the Prince
- 13 George's County Cheverly Community Center Loan of 2002 in the total principal
- 14 amount of \$250,000. This loan shall be evidenced by the issuance, sale, and delivery of
- 15 State general obligation bonds authorized by a resolution of the Board of Public
- 16 Works and issued, sold, and delivered in accordance with §§ 8-117 through 8-124 of
- 17 the State Finance and Procurement Article and Article 31, § 22 of the Code.
- 18 (2) The bonds to evidence this loan or installments of this loan may be sold as
- 19 a single issue or may be consolidated and sold as part of a single issue of bonds under
- 20 § 8-122 of the State Finance and Procurement Article.
- 21 (3) The cash proceeds of the sale of the bonds shall be paid to the Treasurer
- 22 and first shall be applied to the payment of the expenses of issuing, selling, and
- 23 delivering the bonds, unless funds for this purpose are otherwise provided, and then
- 24 shall be credited on the books of the Comptroller and expended, on approval by the
- 25 Board of Public Works, for the following public purposes, including any applicable
- 26 architects' and engineers' fees: as a grant to the Mayor and City Council of the Town
- 27 of Cheverly for the planning and design of an addition to the Cheverly Community
- 28 Center in Prince George's County.
- 29 (4) An annual State tax is imposed on all assessable property in the State in
- 30 rate and amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds, as and

- 1 when due and until paid in full. The principal shall be discharged within 15 years2 after the date of issuance of the bonds.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
- 4 effect June 1, 2002.