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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Board of Public Works - Baltimore Zoo - Lease Payments**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring that any payments due by the State for the Baltimore
4 Zoo under a lease or sublease agreement be included in the annual budget for
5 the Board of Public Works; stating the intent of the General Assembly that the
6 name of the Zoo be altered; and generally relating to the Baltimore Zoo.

7 BY adding to
8 Article - State Finance and Procurement
9 Section 10-206
10 Annotated Code of Maryland
11 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

14 **Article - State Finance and Procurement**

15 10-206.

16 ANY PAYMENTS DUE BY THE STATE FOR THE BALTIMORE ZOO UNDER A LEASE
17 OR SUBLEASE AGREEMENT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE
18 BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the
20 General Assembly that the Maryland Zoological Society, Inc. alter the name of the

1 Baltimore Zoo to be the Maryland Zoo in Baltimore, in recognition of the contribution
2 of the Zoo to the quality of life of Maryland's citizens and as a valuable resource to the
3 State.

4 SECTION ~~2~~-3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
5 effect July 1, 2004.