

HOUSE BILL 1051

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By: **The Speaker (By Request - Department of Legislative Services - Code Revision)**

Introduced and read first time: February 7, 2008

Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Economic Development - Cross-References and Corrections**

3 FOR the purpose of correcting certain cross-references to the Economic Development
4 Article in the Annotated Code of Maryland; correcting certain cross-references,
5 errors, and omissions in and relating to the Economic Development Article;
6 clarifying the application of certain provisions; making stylistic changes;
7 providing for the termination of a certain provision of this Act, subject to a
8 certain contingency; and generally relating to the Economic Development
9 Article and cross-references and corrections to it.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
12 Section 8-202.1(j)(3)(iv) and (k)(2)(iv), 9-102(h-1)(1)(ii)2.D. and (2)(ii)2.D., and
13 9-102.1(b)(3)
14 Annotated Code of Maryland
15 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

16 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
17 Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
18 Section 5-521(a)(3) and (4)
19 Annotated Code of Maryland
20 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

21 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
22 Article - Economic Development
23 Section 10-324(c)(1)
24 Annotated Code of Maryland
25 (As enacted by Ch. ___ (H.B. 1050) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2008)

26 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



- 1 Article – Education
2 Section 7–203.1(a)(1), 16–302.1(a)(2), and 18–303.1(g)(2)
3 Annotated Code of Maryland
4 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
6 Article – Environment
7 Section 7–507
8 Annotated Code of Maryland
9 (2007 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article – Financial Institutions
12 Section 13–801(h)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
16 Article – Health – General
17 Section 13–1101(p)
18 Annotated Code of Maryland
19 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 20 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
21 Article – Insurance
22 Section 6–114 and 6–119
23 Annotated Code of Maryland
24 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 25 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
26 Article – Insurance
27 Section 14–111
28 Annotated Code of Maryland
29 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 30 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
31 Article – State Finance and Procurement
32 Section 2–206(a)(3), 2–207(a)(4), 5–7B–01(c)(1)(iii), 5–7B–02(3), and
33 11–203(a)(1)(v)
34 Annotated Code of Maryland
35 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)
- 36 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
37 Article – State Government
38 Section 9–1021(c)
39 Annotated Code of Maryland
40 (2004 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 2 Article – Tax – General
 3 Section 2–1303, 4–103(a)(5), 4–104(e)(1), 8–201(b), 8–214, 8–220, 8–411,
 4 10–207(v)(1), 10–702(a)(3) and (6), (b), (c), and (e)(1), 10–704.4, 10–714,
 5 10–722(a)(8)(ii) and (iii), 11–102(b)(2), and 11–227(b)
 6 Annotated Code of Maryland
 7 (2004 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 9 Article – Tax – Property
 10 Section 7–504.4(a), 9–103(a)(6) and (e)(3), 9–229(a)(3), (b)(1)(i), and (c)(2),
 11 9–230(d)(2)(vii) and (viii), 9–240(a), 9–318(d)(2)(ii)3., 10–202(a)(3),
 12 12–108(a)(2) and (aa), 13–403.1, and 14–902(a)(2)
 13 Annotated Code of Maryland
 14 (2007 Replacement Volume)

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

17 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

18 8–202.1.

19 (j) A licensee may be issued a second license if:

20 (3) The restaurant for which the license is sought is located in:

21 (iv) The Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood
 22 Marshall Airport State Priority Funding Area, as designated by Anne Arundel County
 23 in accordance with [Article 83A, § 5–1101(k)(6) of the Code] § **6–301(F)(8) OF THE**
 24 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

25 (k) A licensee may be issued a third license if:

26 (2) The restaurant for which the license is sought is located in:

27 (iv) The Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood
 28 Marshall Airport State Priority Funding Area, as designated by Anne Arundel County
 29 in accordance with [Article 83A, § 5–1101(k)(6) of the Code] § **6–301(F)(8) OF THE**
 30 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

31 9–102.

32 (h–1) (1) In Anne Arundel County, a current holder of a Class H alcoholic
 33 beverages license, or a holder as of June 1, 2002 of a Class B alcoholic beverages
 34 license that has a restriction prohibiting off–sales, may be issued a second license by
 35 the Anne Arundel County Board of License Commissioners if:

1 (ii) Either the restaurant for which the Class H license under
 2 item (i) of this paragraph is sought or to which the original Class B or Class H license
 3 applies is located within:

4 2. One of the following locations as they existed on
 5 October 1, 1999:

6 D. The Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood
 7 Marshall Airport State Priority Funding Area, as designated by Anne Arundel County
 8 in accordance with [Article 83A, § 5–1101(k)(6) of the Code] § **6–301(F)(8) OF THE**
 9 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

10 (2) A person who does not hold a retail alcoholic beverages license in
 11 Anne Arundel County may be issued a maximum of two licenses by the Anne Arundel
 12 County Board of License Commissioners if:

13 (ii) The restaurant for which one of the Class H licenses under
 14 item (i) of this paragraph is sought is located within:

15 2. One of the following locations as they existed on
 16 October 1, 1999:

17 D. The Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood
 18 Marshall Airport State Priority Funding Area, as designated by Anne Arundel County
 19 in accordance with [Article 83A, § 5–1101(k)(6) of the Code] § **6–301(F)(8) OF THE**
 20 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

21 9–102.1.

22 (b) (3) “Enterprise zone” has the meaning [specified] **STATED** in [Article
 23 83A, § 5–401(f) of the Code] § **5–701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

24 **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

25 5–521.

26 (a) (3) “Eligible business” has the meaning stated in [Article 83A, § 5–927
 27 of the Code] § **5–451 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

28 (4) “Lender” has the meaning stated in [Article 83A, § 5–927 of the
 29 Code] § **5–451 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

30 **Article – Economic Development**

31 10–324.

1 (c) In addition to the provisions described in [§ 10-323(b)] § **10-323(H)** of
2 this subtitle, the trust agreement may contain:

3 (1) either:

4 (i) a provision conveying or mortgaging all or a portion of the
5 project; or

6 (ii) a provision creating a collateral account;

7 **Article - Education**

8 7-203.1.

9 (a) (1) For fiscal years 2003 and 2004, the Department shall distribute
10 grants to qualified distressed counties, as defined in [Article 83A, § 5-701 of the Code]
11 **§ 1-101 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**, for the administration of the
12 Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test to 10th grade students.

13 16-302.1.

14 (a) (2) “Authority” means the Maryland Health and Higher Educational
15 Facilities Authority established under [Article 43C of the Code] **TITLE 10, SUBTITLE**
16 **3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

17 18-303.1.

18 (g) (2) To the extent that funds are provided, the State shall provide 50
19 percent of the costs associated with the local administration and one-on-one
20 mentoring components of the Program, except that in a county that meets the
21 requirements of a “qualified distressed county” under [Article 83A, § 5-1501(a)(8) of
22 the Code] **§ 1-101 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE** the State shall
23 provide 75 percent of the costs.

24 **Article - Environment**

25 7-507.

26 When an applicant submits an application under § 7-506 of this subtitle, the
27 applicant also may submit a request to the Department of Business and Economic
28 Development to determine the applicant’s eligibility to qualify for financial incentives
29 for the redevelopment of a brownfields site in accordance with [Article 83A, Title 5,
30 Subtitle 14 of the Code] **TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
31 **ARTICLE**.

32 **Article - Financial Institutions**

1 13-801.

2 (h) "Local issuer" means any county, municipality, or industrial development
3 authority established under [Article 41, § 14-103 of the Annotated Code of Maryland]
4 **TITLE 12, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**, or other
5 agency with authority to issue bonds, other than a State issuer.

6 **Article - Health - General**

7 13-1101.

8 (p) "Maryland Technology Development Corporation" means the entity that
9 is established under [Article 83A, § 5-2A-02 of the Code] **TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 4 OF**
10 **THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

11 **Article - Insurance**

12 6-114.

13 An insurer may claim a credit against the premium tax for wages paid to
14 qualified employees as provided under [Article 83A, § 5-1102 of the Code] **TITLE 6,**
15 **SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

16 6-119.

17 An insurer may claim a credit against the premium tax for One Maryland
18 project costs and start-up costs as provided under [Article 83A, § 5-1501(b) and (c) of
19 the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

20 14-111.

21 Subject to the authority of the Commissioner to regulate nonprofit health
22 service plans under this article, a certificate of authority issued under this subtitle
23 authorizes a corporation to:

24 (1) issue contracts in the form filed with the Commissioner to persons
25 that become subscribers to the plan;

26 (2) finance capital improvement projects through the Maryland Health
27 and Higher Educational Facilities Authority as provided under [Article 43C of the
28 Code] **TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**;

29 (3) finance capital improvement projects through the Maryland
30 Economic Development Corporation as provided under [Article 83A, Title 5, Subtitle 2
31 of the Code] **TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**;
32 and

1 (4) partner with the State and other public or private entities to
2 provide services or administer programs intended to address community health care
3 needs.

4 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

5 2–206.

6 (a) (3) “Council” means the Rural Maryland Council established under
7 [Article 41, Title 15 of the Code] **TITLE 13, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE ECONOMIC**
8 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

9 2–207.

10 (a) (4) “Council” means the Rural Maryland Council established under
11 [Article 41, Title 15, Subtitle 1 of the Code] **TITLE 13, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE**
12 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

13 5–7B–01.

14 (c) (1) “Growth–related project” means only the items set forth below:

15 (iii) funding by the Department of Business and Economic
16 Development under any of the following:

17 1. the Maryland Industrial Development Financing
18 Authority, authorized under [Article 83A, Title 5, Subtitle 9 of the Code] **TITLE 5,**
19 **SUBTITLE 4 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

20 2. the Maryland Small Business Development Financing
21 Authority, authorized under [Article 83A, Title 5, Subtitle 10 of the Code] **TITLE 5,**
22 **SUBTITLE 5 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE;**

23 3. the **FORMER** Maryland Energy Financing Act,
24 authorized under **FORMER** Article 83A, Title 6, Subtitle 4 of the Code, **SUCCEDED**
25 **BY THE MARYLAND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY;**

26 4. the Economic Development Opportunities Program
27 Fund, authorized under § 7–314 of this article;

28 5. the **FORMER** Maryland Competitive Advantage
29 Financing Fund, authorized under **FORMER** Article 83A, Title 5, Subtitle 13 of the
30 Code; and

1 (i) admission to a nightclub or room in a hotel, restaurant, hall,
2 or other place where dancing privileges, music, or other entertainment is provided; or

3 (ii) merchandise, refreshment, or a service sold or served in
4 connection with entertainment at a nightclub or room in a hotel, restaurant, hall, or
5 other place where dancing privileges, music, or other entertainment is provided; and

6 4-104.

7 (e) (1) In this subsection, “arts and entertainment district”, “arts and
8 entertainment enterprise” and “qualifying residing artist” have the meanings stated in
9 [Article 83A, § 4-701 of the Code] **§ 4-701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
10 **ARTICLE.**

11 8-201.

12 (b) “Approved foreign trade zone” means an area designated as a foreign
13 trade zone under [Article 23, §§ 466 through 469 of the Code] **TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 8**
14 **OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

15 8-214.

16 A financial institution may claim a credit against the financial institution
17 franchise tax for wages paid to qualified employees as provided under [Article 83A, §
18 5-1102 of the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
19 **ARTICLE.**

20 8-220.

21 A financial institution may claim a credit against the financial institution
22 franchise tax for One Maryland project costs and start-up costs as provided under
23 [Article 83A, § 5-1501(b) and (c) of the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE**
24 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

25 8-411.

26 A public service company may claim a credit against the public service company
27 franchise tax for wages paid to qualified employees as provided under [Article 83A, §
28 5-1102 of the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
29 **ARTICLE.**

30 10-207.

31 (v) (1) In this subsection, “artistic work”, “arts and entertainment
32 district”, and “qualifying residing artist” have the meanings stated in [Article 83A, §
33 4-701 of the Code] **§ 4-701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

1 10-702.

2 (a) (3) "Enterprise zone" [means an area designated under Article 83A, §
3 5-402 of the Code] **HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-701 OF THE ECONOMIC**
4 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

5 (6) "Focus area" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A, § 5-401 of the
6 Code] **§ 5-701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

7 (b) (1) Any business entity that is located in an enterprise zone and
8 satisfies the requirements of [Article 83A, § 5-404 of the Code] **§ 5-707 OF THE**
9 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE** may claim a credit only against the State
10 income tax for the wages specified in subsections (c) and (d) of this section that are
11 paid in the taxable year for which the entity claims the credit.

12 (2) A business entity that is located in a focus area and satisfies the
13 requirements of [Article 83A, § 5-404 of the Code] **§ 5-707 OF THE ECONOMIC**
14 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE** may claim a credit only against the State income tax for
15 the wages specified in subsection (e) of this section that are paid to a focus area
16 employee in the taxable year for which the entity claims the credit.

17 (3) An organization that is exempt from taxation under § 501(c)(3) or
18 (4) of the Internal Revenue Code may apply the credit under this section as a credit
19 against income tax due on unrelated business taxable income as provided under §§
20 10-304 and 10-812 of this title.

21 (c) If a business entity does not claim an enhanced tax credit under
22 subsection (e) of this section for a focus area employee, for the taxable year in which a
23 business entity satisfies the requirements of [Article 83A, § 5-404 of the Code] **§**
24 **5-707 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**, a credit is allowed that
25 equals:

26 (1) up to \$3,000 of the wages paid to each qualified employee who:

27 (i) is an economically disadvantaged individual; and

28 (ii) is not hired to replace an individual whom the business
29 entity employed in that or any of the 3 preceding taxable years; and

30 (2) up to \$1,000 of the wages paid to each qualified employee who:

31 (i) is not an economically disadvantaged individual; and

32 (ii) is not hired to replace an individual whom the business
33 entity employed in that or any of the 3 preceding taxable years.

1 (e) (1) For the taxable year in which a business entity satisfies the
 2 requirements of [Article 83A, §§ 5–402(k) and 5–404 of the Code] §§ **5–706 AND**
 3 **5–707 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**, a credit is allowed that
 4 equals:

5 (i) up to \$4,500 of the wages paid to each focus area employee
 6 who:

- 7 1. is an economically disadvantaged individual; and
- 8 2. is not hired to replace an individual whom the
 9 business entity employed in that year or any of the 3 preceding taxable years; and

10 (ii) up to \$1,500 of the wages paid to each focus area employee
 11 who:

- 12 1. is not an economically disadvantaged individual; and
- 13 2. is not hired to replace an individual whom the
 14 business entity employed in that year or any of the 3 preceding taxable years.

15 10–704.4.

16 An individual or a corporation may claim a credit against the income tax for
 17 wages paid to qualified employees as provided under [Article 83A, § 5–1102 of the
 18 Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

19 10–714.

20 An individual or corporation may claim a credit against the State income tax for
 21 One Maryland project costs and start–up costs as provided under [Article 83A, §
 22 5–1501(b) and (c) of the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE ECONOMIC**
 23 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

24 10–722.

25 (a) (8) “Eligible building” means a building located in the State that:

26 (ii) in the case of a newly constructed building for which a
 27 certificate of occupancy was not issued before July 1, 2001:

28 1. is located on a qualified brownfields site, as defined
 29 under [Article 83A, § 5–1401 of the Code] § **5–301 OF THE ECONOMIC**
 30 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**; or

31 2. A. is located in a priority funding area under §
 32 5–7B–02 of the State Finance and Procurement Article; and

1 B. is not located on wetlands, the alteration of which
2 requires a permit under § 404 of the federal Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1344; and

3 (iii) in the case of a rehabilitation of a building:

4 1. is located in a priority funding area under § 5-7B-02
5 of the State Finance and Procurement Article or on a qualified brownfields site as
6 defined under [Article 83A, § 5-1401 of the Code] § **5-301 OF THE ECONOMIC**
7 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**; or

8 2. is not an increase of more than 25% in the square
9 footage of the building.

10 11-102.

11 (b) (2) The hotel surcharge imposed under paragraph (1) of this
12 subsection may not be imposed if the Maryland Economic Development Corporation
13 certifies to the Comptroller that the bonds issued by the Maryland Economic
14 Development Corporation secured by the Dorchester County Economic Development
15 Fund established under [§ 5-216 of Article 83A of the Code] § **10-130 OF THE**
16 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE** have been paid in full.

17 11-227.

18 (b) The sales and use tax does not apply to a sale of tangible personal
19 property or a taxable service used directly in connection with a film production activity
20 by a film producer or production company certified by the Department of Business and
21 Economic Development under [Article 83A, § 4-501 of the Code] **TITLE 6, SUBTITLE**
22 **2 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

23 **Article - Tax - Property**

24 7-504.4.

25 (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

26 (2) "Hippodrome Performing Arts Center site" [has the meaning
27 stated in § 13-701(q) of the Financial Institutions] **MEANS THE HIPPODROME**
28 **PERFORMING ARTS SITE AS DEFINED IN § 10-601 OF THE ECONOMIC**
29 **DEVELOPMENT Article**.

30 (3) "Hippodrome Performing Arts Center facility" [has the meaning
31 stated in § 13-701(s) of the Financial Institutions] **MEANS THE HIPPODROME**
32 **PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY AS DEFINED IN § 10-601 OF THE ECONOMIC**
33 **DEVELOPMENT Article**.

1 9–103.

2 (a) (6) (i) “Qualified property” means real property that is:

3 1. not used for residential purposes;

4 2. used in a trade or business by a business entity that
5 meets the requirements of [Article 83A, § 5–404 of the Code] **§ 5–707 OF THE**
6 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**; and

7 3. located in an enterprise zone that is designated under
8 [Article 83A, § 5–402 of the Code] **TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 7 OF THE ECONOMIC**
9 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

10 (ii) “Qualified property” includes personal property on real
11 property that is located in a focus area as defined in [Article 83A, § 5–401 of the Code]
12 **§ 5–701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

13 (e) (3) Notwithstanding [Article 83A, § 5–404(d) of the Code] **§ 5–707(D)**
14 **OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE** but subject to [Article 83A, § 5–404(b)
15 and (c) of the Code] **§ 5–707(B) AND (C) OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
16 **ARTICLE**, a business entity operating in an enterprise zone when the designation of
17 the enterprise zone expires may claim the credits allowed under this section for real
18 property that:

19 (i) the business owns, operates, develops, constructs, or
20 rehabilitates within 5 years after the date the designation of the enterprise zone
21 expired; and

22 (ii) otherwise qualifies for the credits allowed under this section.

23 9–229.

24 (a) (3) “Qualified brownfields site” has the meaning stated in [Article
25 83A, § 5–1401 of the Code] **§ 5–301 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

26 (b) (1) (i) A taxing jurisdiction may elect to participate in the
27 Brownfields Revitalization Incentive Program under [Article 83A, Title 5, Subtitle 14
28 of the Code] **TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 3 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**
29 through the enactment of legislation that grants property tax credits in accordance
30 with the requirements of this section.

31 (c) For each of the 5 taxable years immediately following the first
32 revaluation of the property after completion of a voluntary cleanup or corrective action

1 plan of a brownfields site, each participating taxing jurisdiction where a qualified
2 brownfields site is located shall:

3 (2) contribute to the Maryland Economic Development Assistance
4 Fund under [Article 83A, § 5-1404 of the Code] § **5-313(8) OF THE ECONOMIC**
5 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**, 30% of the property tax attributable to the increase in the
6 assessment of the brownfields site, including improvements added to the site within
7 the 5-year period as provided under this subsection, over the assessment of the
8 qualified brownfields site before the voluntary cleanup.

9 9-230.

10 (d) (2) For a business entity to qualify for an enhanced property tax credit
11 under this subsection, the business entity, along with its affiliates, shall be primarily
12 engaged in one or more of the following at the qualifying premises:

13 (vii) central [financial, real estate, or insurance] services as
14 defined in [Article 83A, § 5-1101 of the Code] § **6-101 OF THE ECONOMIC**
15 **DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**;

16 (viii) the operation of central administrative offices or a company
17 headquarters as defined in [Article 83A, § 5-1101 of the Code] § **6-101 OF THE**
18 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**;

19 9-240.

20 (a) In this section, “arts and entertainment district”, “arts and entertainment
21 enterprise”, and “qualifying residing artist” have the meanings stated in [Article 83A,
22 § 4-701 of the Code] § **4-701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

23 9-318.

24 (d) (2) In order to qualify for the credit under this subsection:

25 (ii) the designated geographic areas shall be located within two
26 of the following areas:

27 3. an enterprise zone, as defined in [Article 83A, §
28 5-401(f) of the Code] § **5-701 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**; and

29 10-202.

30 (a) (3) The governing body of Prince George’s County may not authorize a
31 payment deferral for county property tax for real property located in a development
32 district established under [Title 14, Subtitle 2 of Article 41] **TITLE 12, SUBTITLE 2**
33 **OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE**.

1 12-108.

2 (a) (2) The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City or the governing
3 body of a county may impose, by law, the recordation tax uniformly on all instruments
4 of writing that secure repayment of debt created by the sale of bonds authorized under
5 [Article 41, Title 14, Subtitle 1 of the Code] **TITLE 12, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE**
6 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

7 (aa) An instrument of writing pursuant to which the Maryland Stadium
8 Authority transfers title to, or creates a leasehold interest in, real property if the
9 transferee or lessee is an Authority affiliate as defined in [§ 13-701(t) of the Financial
10 Institutions] § **10-601 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Article.

11 13-403.1.

12 An instrument of writing pursuant to which the Maryland Stadium Authority
13 transfers title to, or creates a leasehold interest in, real property if the transferee or
14 lessee is an Authority affiliate as defined in [§ 13-701(t) of the Financial Institutions]
15 § **10-601 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Article is not subject to a county
16 transfer tax.

17 14-902.

18 (a) (2) “Qualified brownfields site” has the meaning stated in [Article
19 83A, § 5-1401 of the Code] § **5-301 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland
21 read as follows:

22 **Article – State Government**

23 9-1021.

24 (c) This subtitle does not apply to artwork acquired through the Maryland
25 Public Art Initiative Program established under [Article 83A, § 4-6A-01 of the Code]
26 **TITLE 4, SUBTITLE 6 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.**

27 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall
28 take effect October 1, 2008. It shall remain effective until the taking effect of the
29 termination provision specified in Section 2 of Chapter 393 of the Acts of the General
30 Assembly of 2005. If that termination provision takes effect, Section 2 of this Act shall
31 be abrogated and of no further force and effect. This Act may not be interpreted to
32 have any effect on that termination provision.

33 SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in
34 Section 3 of this Act, this Act shall take effect October 1, 2008.