

CHAPTER 61

(House Bill 237)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland AIDS Drug Assistance Program – Special Fund

FOR the purpose of clarifying that the special fund to which certain rebates received by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene from the AIDS Drug Assistance Program are distributed to a nonlapsing fund, the unspent balances of which do not revert to the General Fund of the State; and generally relating to money to fund the Maryland AIDS Drug Assistance Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Health – General

Section 2–104(j)(2)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2005 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

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

Article – Health – General

2–104.

(j) (2) Any rebates received by the Department from the Maryland AIDS Drug Assistance Program shall be distributed to a special **NONLAPSING** fund **THAT IS NOT SUBJECT TO § 7–302 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE**, to be used only to fund the Maryland AIDS Drug Assistance Program.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

Approved by the Governor, April 8, 2008.