CHAPTER 629

(House Bill 901)

AN ACT concerning

Real Property - Payment of Interest After Foreclosure Sale - Garrett County

FOR the purpose of providing that, in Garrett County, the interest provided in a mortgage or note secured by a deed of trust is payable for a certain period of time following a foreclosure sale or until the audit of the sale is ratified, whichever occurs first; and generally relating to when the interest provided in a mortgage or note secured by a deed of trust is payable after a foreclosure sale in Garrett County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Real Property

Section 7-105(d)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2003 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 - Real Property

7-105.

- (d) (1) Absent a provision to the contrary in a mortgage or note secured by a deed of trust, in the enumerated counties, the interest provided in a mortgage or note secured by a deed of trust is payable for the time period provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection or until the audit of the sale is ratified, whichever occurs first.
- (2) Under paragraph (1) of this subsection, the time period following sale is:
- (i) 60 days in Calvert, Cecil, Frederick, **GARRETT**, Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot, Caroline, Charles, and St. Mary's counties; and
 - (ii) 180 days in Worcester County.

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

Approved by the Governor, May 22, 2008.