SENATE BILL 982

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By: **Senator Conway** Introduced and read first time: February 10, 2014 Assigned to: Rules

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

Maryland Affordable Housing Trust – Award Criteria – Preference for Multijurisdictional Applicants

- FOR the purpose of requiring the Board of Trustees of the Maryland Affordable
 Housing Trust to develop a process for making awards under the Trust that
 gives preference to multijurisdictional applicants; and generally relating to
 awards from the Maryland Affordable Housing Trust.
- 8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 9 Article Housing and Community Development
- 10 Section 10–108
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (2006 Volume and 2013 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

- 15 Article Housing and Community Development
- 16 10–108.
- 17 The Board shall:
- 18 (1) receive applications for awards from the Trust;
- 19 (2) make the final decisions about awards; and
- 20 (3) develop a process for making awards that:
- 21 (I) encourages a broad geographic distribution of money; AND

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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1(II) GIVES PREFERENCE TO MULTIJURISDICTIONAL2APPLICANTS.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect

4 October 1, 2014.