

be issued under this Act shall be paid to the Treasurer of the State upon the warrant of the Comptroller, and such proceeds shall be used exclusively for the following purposes:

1. The Comptroller shall immediately upon the sale and the payment for said Certificates, first, return to and credit to the Treasury for a sum equivalent to the amount expended, as provided in Section 4 of this Act.

2. The remainder of the proceeds of said loan shall be credited on the books of the State Treasury Department to be expended to supplement the financing of the construction of public school buildings and public school facilities, and to supplement the cost of the acquisition of such real estate as may be required in connection therewith by each of the Counties in this State and by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore. Such financial assistance shall be granted for the purposes stated hereinabove to each of the Counties of this State and to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore upon a matching basis and upon the following terms and conditions:

(a) Whenever any county or the City of Baltimore desires to participate in the financial assistance which is provided for under the terms and conditions of this Act, said county or City, as the case may be, shall certify a statement to the State Board of Education showing: (1) the number, class, type and character of all public school buildings or public school facilities required by the said County or the said City for which funds are currently unavailable; (2) the amount, type and character of real estate necessary in conjunction therewith; (3) the total estimated cost of said school buildings, school facilities and real estate; (4) the total amount of money from all sources currently available to and dedicated by each of said counties and the City of Baltimore for the purpose of financing the construction of public school buildings and public school facilities and the purchase of public school lands; (5) such other information as may be required by regulations passed by the State Board of Education.

(b) Upon the receipt of the certified statement as specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this sub-section, the State Board of Education shall make a written finding of fact which shall be addressed to the Board of Public Works, said finding of fact to be in such form and contain such information as the said Board of Public Works shall require, said finding of fact to include, among other things, the total amount of money from all sources currently avail-