

SECTION 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That immediately following the close of each fiscal year, the Secretary of the Budget and Fiscal Planning shall determine the total number of State positions that are authorized as of the last day of the fiscal year. Authorized positions shall include all budget positions as shown in the personnel detail of the annual budget for the ensuing fiscal year including non-budgeted programs, the Mass Transit Administration, the University of Maryland self-supported activities, and the State-Use Industries. The Board of Public Works, in exercising its authority to create additional positions pursuant to Sec. 16B of Article 78A, may authorize, during any fiscal year, up to five hundred (500) positions in excess of the total number of authorized State positions as determined by the secretary of Budget and Fiscal Planning on the last day of any fiscal year. Provided, however, that if the imposition of this ceiling causes undue hardship in any particular department, agency, board, or commission, the Board of Public Works may authorize additional positions for such department, agency, board, or commission, upon the elimination of an equal number of authorized positions in another department, agency, board or commission, and said action shall be exempt from the aforementioned ceiling of five hundred (500). And that the aforementioned ceiling of five hundred (500) does not apply with respect to any positions created by the Board of Public Works during fiscal year 1976 which are fully funded by the federal government under The Federal Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1974, The Federal Emergency Jobs and Unemployment Assistance Act of 1974, and any other federal man-power statutes; and any fully federally funded positions for which the State receives federal funds in connection with programs administered by the Employment Security Administration of the Department of Employment and Social Services. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Section the Board of Public Works may authorize additional temporary positions to meet public emergencies resulting from an act of God and violent acts of men which are necessary to protect the health and safety of the people of Maryland.

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET NO. 1 - FISCAL YEAR 1977

March 19, 1976

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen
of the General Assembly:

Pursuant to the authority conferred on me by Article 3, Section 52, Sub-section (5) of the Constitution of Maryland, and in accordance with the consent of the (State Senate) - (House of Delegates), duly granted, I hereby submit a supplement to Senate Bill 370 and/or House Bill 900 in the form of an amendment to the original budget and additional proposal for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1977.

The Supplemental Budget will affect the previously estimated funds available for budget operations as shown on the following summary statement.