

CHAPTER 87

(Senate Bill 128)

AN ACT concerning

Public Assistance Jobs
Program - Workmen's Compensation

FOR the purpose of providing that participants in certain programs be considered employees of the Department of Human Resources while assigned to jobs; and providing that the Secretary of Human Resources shall pay the workmen's compensation premium for those individuals.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 88A - Social Services Administration
Section 17A-2(g)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1979 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

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

Article 88A - Social Services Administration
17A-2.

(g) (1) For the purpose of the State Workmen's Compensation Law, participants in [this] THE FOLLOWING [program] PROGRAMS shall be considered employees of the Department of Human Resources while assigned to jobs [under this section.]:

(I) GENERAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TO EMPLOYABLES;
AND

(II) WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED AS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT'S EMPLOYMENT INITIATIVES PROJECT.

(2) The Secretary of Human Resources shall pay into the State Accident Fund the premium established by the fund as necessary to provide workmen's compensation for these individuals.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 10, 1983.