

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 32B - Delmarva Advisory Council  
Section 1-111  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1983 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)  
(As enacted by Chapter 671 of the Acts  
of the General Assembly of 1984)

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

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1-111.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Delmarva Advisory Council shall receive annual funding by appropriation in the Maryland State budget. Maryland's State allocation shall be contingent, beginning with fiscal year [1986] 1987, and continuing on a year-to-year basis thereafter, on the commitment of the participating Maryland counties to contribute an equal share to the financial support included in the State's budget. For purposes of review, approval, and confirmation that the counties' commitments are met, the Department of Economic and Community Development is Maryland's "cognizant State agency" and shall include a budget request for the Delmarva Advisory Council with its budget request. In addition, receipt of any funds from Maryland is contingent upon the annual receipt of funds from the states of Delaware or Virginia.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may not take effect until a similar Act is passed by the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Virginia; that the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Virginia are requested to concur in this Act of the General Assembly of Maryland by the passage of a similar Act; that the Department of Legislative Reference shall notify the appropriate officials of the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Virginia of the passage of this Act; and that upon the concurrence of this Act by the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Virginia, the Governor of the State of Maryland shall issue a proclamation declaring this Act valid and effective.

Approved May 28, 1985.

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