

CHAPTER (HOUSE BILL 630) OF THE 1969 SESSION, IT IS THE LEGISLATIVE INTENT THAT SECTION 660 AS CONTAINED IN SAID HOUSE BILL 630 SHALL BE THE LAW AND THAT SECTION 660 OF ARTICLE 66C AS AMENDED IN THIS HOUSE BILL 1311 OF 1969 SHALL NOT THEN BE EFFECTIVE.

SEC. 15. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved April 23, 1969.

CHAPTER 155

(House Bill 1148)

AN ACT to add new Sections 226, 227, and 228 to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1965 Replacement Volume), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments," to be under the new subtitle, "The Department of State Planning," said Sections to follow immediately after Section 225 thereof and to repeal IN THEIR ENTIRETY SECTIONS 3, 4, AND 7 OF ARTICLE 88C AND TO REPEAL and re-enact with amendments Sections 1, 2, 5, 6, 8, 9, 9A, 10 and 11 of Article 88C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1964 Replacement Volume), title "State Planning," to create in the Executive Branch of Government a new department to be known as the Department of State Planning to be headed by a Secretary of State Planning, and to provide for the duties and responsibilities of said Secretary as well as the staff personnel of the Department, to provide for the abolishment of the present State Planning Department and Office of the Director of State Planning, and to provide that all rights, powers, duties, obligations and functions formerly exercised by the State Planning Department and Director of State Planning are to be transferred to and exercised and performed by the Secretary of State Planning, and to extend the present duties of the State Planning Office and add new duties, all of which will be exercised by the Department of State Planning; and to provide that the State Planning Commission shall become an advisory board for the Department of State Planning, and to change the number of members on said State Planning Commission as well as the method of their appointment; and to provide for the duties and functions of the State Planning Commission, and relating generally to the laws of Maryland dealing with State Planning and Development.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Sections 226, 227 and 228 of Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1965 Replacement Volume), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments," are hereby enacted, to be under the same title but under the new subtitle "The Department of State Planning," all to read as follows: