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(c) Any resident of the State is eligible for an award if the resident:

(1) Meets the requirements of this subheading; or

(2) Becomes a victim of a crime in a state other than Maryland that:

(i) Does not operate a criminal injuries compensation program;

[or]

(ii) Operates a criminal injuries compensation program for which the victim is ineligible; OR

(III) OPERATES A CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION PROGRAM FOR WHICH FUNDS HAVE NOT BEEN APPROPRIATED OR MADE AVAILABLE.

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(D) THE BOARD SHALL NOTIFY THE CLAIMANT WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF THE CLAIM.

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(A) WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE RECEIPT OF A CLAIM, THE BOARD SHALL NOTIFY THE CLAIMANT IF ADDITIONAL MATERIAL IS REQUIRED.

(B) (1) [Upon completing] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, WITHIN 90 DAYS AFTER THE RECEIPT OF A CLAIM AND ALL NECESSARY SUPPORTING MATERIAL, THE BOARD SHALL:

(I) COMPLETE the review and evaluation process on each claim[, the Board shall file]; AND

(II) FILE with the Secretary a written report setting forth the decision and the reasons in support of the decision.

(2) FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN, FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 1 YEAR THE BOARD MAY EXTEND THE TIME TO FILE ITS REPORT WITH THE SECRETARY AFTER RECEIPT OF THE CLAIM AND ALL NECESSARY SUPPORTING MATERIAL UNTIL THE FIRST TO OCCUR OF THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

(I) THE CLAIMANT NO LONGER HAS EXPENSES RELATED TO THE CRIME; OR

(II) THE CLAIMANT HAS BEEN AWARDED THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT AUTHORIZED UNDER § 825 OF THIS SUBHEADING.

(C) [After reviewing the records,] WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN REPORT FROM THE BOARD, the Secretary shall modify, affirm, or reverse the decision of the Board. The action of the Secretary in affirming, modifying, or reversing the decision of the Board shall be final. The claimant shall be furnished with a copy of the final report upon request.