

~~(B) TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET, THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS SHALL PAY RENT TO A COUNTY RENTAL UNDER THIS SECTION AT THE RATE NEGOTIATED WITH THE COUNTY AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.~~

~~(C) (1) AN AGREEMENT FOR RENTAL THE RENT NEGOTIATED UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT EXCEED \$10 PER NET USABLE SQUARE FOOT AND:~~

~~(2) AN AGREEMENT FOR RENT MAY NOT INCLUDE ANY PROVISION FOR SEPARATE REIMBURSEMENT OF MAINTENANCE AND UTILITY COSTS.~~

~~(D) A COUNTY MAY NOT DECREASE THE SPACE NET USABLE SQUARE FOOTAGE ALLOCATED TO THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY BELOW THE SPACE NET USABLE SQUARE FOOTAGE ALLOCATED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2000.~~

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(A) EACH CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE SHALL HAVE ONE LAW CLERK, TO BE EMPLOYED BY THE STATE.

~~(B) THERE SHALL BE INCLUDED IN EACH STATE BUDGET AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS IN AN AMOUNT NECESSARY TO THE BUDGET FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS SHALL INCLUDE FUNDS TO EMPLOY ONE LAW CLERK FOR EACH CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, AT A SALARY AND WITH THE BENEFITS WITHIN A RANGE PROPOSED BY THE CONFERENCE OF CIRCUIT JUDGES TO THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.~~

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act does not relieve any county, including Baltimore City, of its duty, before or after the effective date of this Act, to provide space for the circuit court for the county and court related agencies.~~

~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may not be construed to assume any liability incurred by any county or Baltimore City in connection with space occupied by the circuit court for the county or City or by a court related agency.~~

~~SECTION 4. does not, except as specifically provided in this Act, modify any existing duty or liability of the State, a county, or Baltimore City.~~

SECTION 3. 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(1) Beginning in fiscal year ~~2002~~ 2003 and each fiscal year thereafter, each county and Baltimore City shall use the local fiscal savings resulting from this Act solely to increase local expenditures for circuit court or related public safety purposes;

(2) In fiscal years ~~2002 through 2009~~ 2003 through 2010, each county and Baltimore City shall report to the Department of Budget and Management on or before November 1 on circuit court or related public safety expenditures to which the savings resulting from this Act have been applied. The Department of Budget and