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CITY OF BALTIMORE COUNCIL BILL

Introduced by: Councilmembers Kraft, Stokes, Cole

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ORDINANCE concerning

Arts and Entertainment Districts - Property Tax Credits - Admissions and Amusement Tax Exemptions FOR the purpose of repealing the deadlines by which a qualified person must apply for an arts and entertainment property tax credit or register for an arts and entertainment admissions and amusement tax exemption; conforming certain obsolete statutory references to their current counterparts; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to tax credits and tax exemptions in Arts and Entertainment Districts.

BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments Article 28 - Taxes Section(s) 10-14(a)(2), (3), and (7) and 19-4(a)(2), (3), and (5) Baltimore City Code (Edition 2000)

BY repealing Article 28 - Taxes Section(s) 10-14(l) and 19-4(f) Baltimore City Code (Edition 2000)

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

Baltimore City Code

Article 28. Taxes

Subtitle 10. Credits

§ 10-14. Arts and entertainment districts.

(a) Definitions.

(2) Arts and entertainment district.

"Arts and entertainment district" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

(3) Arts and entertainment enterprise.

"Arts and entertainment enterprise" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

(7) Qualifying residing artist.

"Qualifying residing artist" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

[(1) Program termination.

Applications for property in an arts and entertainment district will not be accepted after the 10th year from the date the arts and entertainment district was designated by the State.]

Subtitle 19. Admissions and Amusement Tax

§ 19-4. Exemptions - Arts and entertainment district.

(a) Definitions.

(2) Arts and entertainment district.

"Arts and entertainment district" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

(3) Arts and entertainment enterprise.

"Arts and entertainment enterprise" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

(5) Qualifying residing artist.

"Qualifying residing artist" has the meaning stated in [Article 83A] STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE, § 4-701 [of the Maryland Code].

[(f) Program termination.

Registrations for artists or enterprises in an arts and entertainment district will not be accepted after the 10th year from the date the arts and entertainment district was designated by the State.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior Ordinance.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day after the date it is enacted.

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