COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 2008, Legislative Day No. 2

Bill No. 4-08

Mr. <u>Kevin Kamenetz</u>, Chairman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, <u>January 22, 2008</u>

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

The 2007-2008 Current Expense Budget Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program

FOR the purpose of amending the 2007-2008 Current Expense Budget, by appropriating to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund monies derived from federal funds and made available to the County through the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance - Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance has made an award of federal funds available to the Baltimore County Police Department to be used for continued funding of increased police patrols in several precincts of Baltimore County; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Sections 306 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from bill. Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2003, as amended, the County Council may accept gifts and grants, appropriate same to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund and expend the same, said fund having been established solely for the purpose of accounting for certain monetary gifts and grants made available to the County for restricted purposes; and

WHEREAS, such fund remains open perpetually as a mechanism to account for the respective gift and grant appropriations and expenditures throughout the entire term of the grant period, including beyond the current expense budget fiscal year; now therefore

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, pursuant to the power and authority conferred upon it by Sections 306 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2003, as amended, that the Current Expense Budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008, be and is hereby amended by appropriating federal funds made available to the Baltimore County Police Department, in the amount herein specified, to the following program:

005-015-1532 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program \$161,852.00

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having been passed by the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect March 3, 2008.

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