

HOUSE BILL 514

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By: **Delegates Donoghue and Nathan-Pulliam**

Introduced and read first time: January 30, 2008

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Medbank Program - Funding**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing certain funds to be transferred and appropriated to
4 the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene in a certain fiscal year for a
5 certain purpose; and generally relating to funding for the Maryland Medbank
6 Program.

7 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
8 MARYLAND, That, notwithstanding Section 4 of Chapter 345 of the Acts of the
9 General Assembly of 2006 or any other provision of law, for fiscal year 2009 only,
10 funds remaining from the Senior Prescription Drug Program that have accrued to the
11 account of the Senior Prescription Drug Assistance Program of the Maryland Health
12 Insurance Plan Fund may be transferred and appropriated in the budget bill or by
13 budget amendment to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene for the purpose
14 of providing a grant, not to exceed \$425,000, to the Maryland Medbank Program under
15 § 15-124.2 of the Health – General Article.

16 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
17 July 1, 2008.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

