AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE AUDITORS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- Section 1. Subsection (e) of section 2-90 of the 2016 supplement to
- 2 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
- 3 thereof:

4 "(e)91) If the Auditors of Public Accounts discover, or if it should 5 come to their knowledge, that any unauthorized, illegal, irregular or 6 unsafe handling or expenditure of state or quasi-public agency funds 7 or any breakdown in the safekeeping of any resources of the state or 8 quasi-public agency has occurred or is contemplated, they shall 9 forthwith [present] Present the facts to the Governor, the State 10 Comptroller, the clerk of each house of the General Assembly, the 11 Legislative Program Review and Investigations Committee and the 12 Attorney General [.] Except if a matter reported to the Auditors of Public Accounts pursuant to section 4-33a, as amended by this act, is 13 14 still under investigation by a state or quasi-public agency, the Auditors 15 of Public Accounts may allow the agency reasonable time to conduct 16 such investigation prior to the auditors reporting the matter to said 17 persons and committee. (2) If the Auditors of Public ACcounts elect to 18 delay reporting such matter, the auditors shall immediately notify the 19 Attorney GEneral of such decision and, if the Attorney General 20 requests that the matter be reported immediately, the Auditors of 21 Public accounts shall comply with such request. (3) Any Auditor of 22 Public Accounts neglecting to make such a report, or any agent of the 23 auditors neglecting to report required under subdivision (1) of this

- 24 <u>subsection;</u> to the Auditors of Public Accounts any such matter
- 25 discovered by him or coming to his knowledge shall be fined not more
- 26 than one hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than six months or
- 27 both."