

HOUSE BILL 1286

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By: **Delegate Grammer**

Introduced and read first time: February 8, 2021

Assigned to: Judiciary

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Law Enforcement Performance Measurements – Required Reporting**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring certain law enforcement agencies to submit certain
4 information relating to law enforcement officer performance evaluation measures to
5 the Maryland Police Training and Standards Commission on or before a certain date
6 annually; requiring the Commission to aggregate and report certain information to
7 the General Assembly on or before a certain date annually; and generally relating to
8 performance measures for law enforcement.

9 BY adding to

10 Article – Public Safety

11 Section 3–523

12 Annotated Code of Maryland

13 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,

15 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article – Public Safety**

17 **3–523.**

18 **(A) ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1 AND OCTOBER 1 EACH YEAR, EACH LOCAL LAW**
19 **ENFORCEMENT AGENCY SHALL REPORT TO THE MARYLAND POLICE TRAINING AND**
20 **STANDARDS COMMISSION INFORMATION REGARDING PERFORMANCE MEASURES**
21 **USED BY THE AGENCY TO EVALUATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY**
22 **THE AGENCY, INCLUDING:**

23 **(1) A DESCRIPTION OF EACH PERFORMANCE MEASURE USED BY THE**
24 **AGENCY TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS;**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(2) THE CRITERIA USED TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF**
2 **EACH PERFORMANCE MEASURE;**

3 **(3) A DESCRIPTION OF EACH ENFORCEMENT QUOTA USED BY THE**
4 **AGENCY TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS;**
5 **AND**

6 **(4) THE CRITERIA USED TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF**
7 **EACH ENFORCEMENT QUOTA.**

8 **(B) ON OR BEFORE MAY 1 AND NOVEMBER 1 EACH YEAR, THE COMMISSION**
9 **SHALL AGGREGATE AND REPORT ALL DATA RECEIVED UNDER THIS SECTION FROM**
10 **LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN**
11 **ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1257 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.**

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
13 October 1, 2021.