SENATE BILL 169

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By: Senator Klausmeier

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 State Designations – Symbol of Remembrance for September 11 – Freedom Flag

- 3 FOR the purpose of designating the Freedom Flag as the State symbol of remembrance for
- 4 the attacks of September 11; and generally relating to a State symbol of 5 remembrance for the attacks of September 11.
- 6 BY renumbering
- 7 Article General Provisions
- 8 Section 7–319
- 9 to be Section 7–320
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
- 12 BY adding to
- 13 Article General Provisions
- 14 Section 7–319
- 15 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 16 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
- 17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
- 18 That Section(s) 7–319 of Article General Provisions of the Annotated Code of Maryland
- 19 be renumbered to be Section(s) 7–320.
- 20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read 21 as follows:
 - **Article General Provisions**

23 **7–319.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 THE FREEDOM FLAG, DESIGNED AND CREATED BY RICHARD NICHOLAS 2 MELITO OF RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, TO MEMORIALIZE THE VICTIMS OF THE EVENTS 3 OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2001, IS THE STATE SYMBOL OF REMEMBRANCE FOR THE 4 ATTACKS OF SEPTEMBER 11.

5 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 6 October 1, 2025.