

# SENATE BILL 406

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EMERGENCY BILL

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By: **The President (By Request – Department of Legislative Services)**

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Assigned to: Rules

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Annual Corrective Bill**

3 FOR the purpose of correcting certain errors or omissions in certain articles of the  
4 Annotated Code; clarifying language; correcting certain obsolete references;  
5 reorganizing certain sections of the Annotated Code; providing that this Act is not  
6 intended to affect any law other than to correct technical errors; and providing for  
7 the correction of certain errors and obsolete provisions by the publishers of the  
8 Annotated Code.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article – Alcoholic Beverages  
11 Section 9–2004(d)(1)(i) and (e)(1), 25–1604(b)(18) and (19), and 26–1614(a)(8)  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
15 Article – Business Occupations and Professions  
16 Section 6–103(a)(5) and (b)  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland  
18 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

19 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
20 Article – Corporations and Associations  
21 Section 1–202(3), 2–105(c), 2–604(f), 4A–207(c)(3), 4A–1001(a), 4A–1003(3),  
22 4A–1009(a)(8), 9A–1002(d)(3), 9A–1102(3), 10–206(b)(3), 10–209(a)(2), and  
23 10–903(3)  
24 Annotated Code of Maryland  
25 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

26 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
27 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



- 1 Section 3–1503(b) and 7–204(a)(2)(ii)1. and (4)(ii)1.  
2 Annotated Code of Maryland  
3 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 4 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
5 Article – Criminal Procedure  
6 Section 17–101(l), 17–102(b)(3), (e), (f)(1)(i) and (2), and (k), 17–103(a)(2),  
7 17–104(a)(1), (b)(1), (c)(1), and (e), and 17–105(a)(1)  
8 Annotated Code of Maryland  
9 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
11 Article – Education  
12 Section 3–901(a)(1) and 7–1A–01(a)  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
16 Article – Education  
17 Section 3–901(a)(2), 7–1A–01(e), and 7–447.1(d)(14)(i)  
18 Annotated Code of Maryland  
19 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 20 BY repealing  
21 Article – Education  
22 Section 7–1A–01(d)  
23 Annotated Code of Maryland  
24 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 25 BY adding to  
26 Article – Education  
27 Section 7–1A–01(e)  
28 Annotated Code of Maryland  
29 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 30 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
31 Article – Environment  
32 Section 9–1605.2(i)(2)(i)  
33 Annotated Code of Maryland  
34 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 35 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
36 Article – Family Law  
37 Section 5–704(a)  
38 Annotated Code of Maryland  
39 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

- 1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
2 Article – Financial Institutions  
3 Section 12–410(e)(3)  
4 Annotated Code of Maryland  
5 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
7 Article – General Provisions  
8 Section 4–101(k)(3)(ii)  
9 Annotated Code of Maryland  
10 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)  
11 (As enacted by Chapter 658 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)
- 12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Article – Health – General  
14 Section 4–211(d), 19–214.1(c)(2)(ii) and (f)(2)(ii), 19–214.2(i)(2)(iv), 20–1408(a)(2),  
15 24–1202(a)(3), and 24–1203(a)  
16 Annotated Code of Maryland  
17 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 18 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
19 Article – Health – General  
20 Section 20–2002(b)  
21 Annotated Code of Maryland  
22 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)  
23 (As enacted by Chapters 466 and 467 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)
- 24 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
25 Article – Health Occupations  
26 Section 8–508(a)(2)(ii), 12–6D–05(a)(2)(iii), 13–313(a), 14–5B–16(a), 14–5C–19(a),  
27 14–5D–16(a), and 15–103(d), (e), and (g)  
28 Annotated Code of Maryland  
29 (2021 Replacement Volume)
- 30 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
31 Article – Human Services  
32 Section 5–5A–08(c)(1)  
33 Annotated Code of Maryland  
34 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 35 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
36 Article – Insurance  
37 Section 2–208(a)(3)  
38 Annotated Code of Maryland  
39 (2017 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 40 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 1 Article – Labor and Employment  
2 Section 3–1708(a) and (b)(1) and 8–311.2(c)(2)(ii)  
3 Annotated Code of Maryland  
4 (2016 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
6 Article – Natural Resources  
7 Section 3–126(d)(1)(i)5.B.  
8 Annotated Code of Maryland  
9 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
11 Article – Public Safety  
12 Section 2–315(c)(7), 3–522(b)(1) and (3) and (c)(2)(ii) and (iv) and (3), and  
13 12–203(f)(6)(iii)4.  
14 Annotated Code of Maryland  
15 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 16 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
17 Article – Public Utilities  
18 Section 7–705(b–1), 12–101(e), 12–107(b)(4), 12–121(c)(1)(i) and (2), 12–122(c)(1),  
19 12–125(b), and 12–131(d)(1)  
20 Annotated Code of Maryland  
21 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 22 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
23 Article – Real Property  
24 Section 12–102(1) and 12–106(c)  
25 Annotated Code of Maryland  
26 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)
- 27 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
28 Article – State Finance and Procurement  
29 Section 2–209(c)(1)(i) through (viii) and (xiii) and 13–102.1(c)(4)  
30 Annotated Code of Maryland  
31 (2021 Replacement Volume)
- 32 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
33 Article – State Government  
34 Section 2–1247(a)(6)(iv), 9–1A–24(b)(4), 9–1A–36(g), 9–914.3(a) and (b)(1),  
35 9–940(c)(2), 9–1005(a)(2), 9–1007(a)(1)(iv) and (3) and (b), and  
36 20–1036(c)(1)(i)  
37 Annotated Code of Maryland  
38 (2021 Replacement Volume)
- 39 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
40 Article – Transportation

1 Section 25–113(f)(2)(iv)  
2 Annotated Code of Maryland  
3 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

4 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
5 Chapter 645 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021  
6 Section 8

7 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,  
8 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

9 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

10 9–2004.

11 (d) (1) Except as provided in § 9–2005 of this subtitle for December 31 and  
12 January 1, a holder of a Class C beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and  
13 liquor:

14 (i) on Monday through Saturday, for on–premises and off–premises  
15 consumption, from 7 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day; **AND**

16 (e) (1) Except as provided in § 9–2005 of this subtitle for December 31 and  
17 January 1, a holder of a Class D beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and  
18 liquor:

19 (i) on Monday through Saturday, for on–premises and off–premises  
20 consumption, from 7 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day; **AND**

21 (ii) on Sunday[,]:

22 **1.** from 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day if the holder pays  
23 an additional fee of \$250; or

24 **[(iii)] 2.** in accordance with a 2–day Sunday sales permit issued  
25 under paragraph (2) of this subsection.

26 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

27 Error: Omitted conjunctions in § 9–2004(d)(1)(i) and (e)(1)(i) of the Alcoholic  
28 Beverages Article. Tabulation error in § 9–2004(e)(1)(ii) of the Alcoholic Beverages Article.

29 Occurred: Ch. 41, § 2, Acts of 2016.

30 25–1604.

1 (b) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the Board may issue, renew,  
2 approve the transfer of, and otherwise provide for:

3 (18) in accordance with § 25–1103 of this title, a refillable container permit  
4 for draft beer for A Class D–K license; and

5 (19) in accordance with § 25–1104 of this title, a refillable container permit  
6 for wine for A Class D–K license.

7 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

8 Error: Omitted article in § 25–1604(b)(18) and (19) of the Alcoholic Beverages Article.

9 Occurred: Ch. 349, Acts of 2020.

10 26–1614.

11 (a) The Board may issue:

12 (8) up to five Class B–DD (Development District) licenses to restaurants  
13 located within the Karington [~~mixed–used~~] **MIXED–USE** development, located in the  
14 southwest quadrant of the intersection of MD–214/Central Avenue and US–301/Crain  
15 Highway;

16 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

17 Error: Spelling error in § 26–1614(a)(8) of the Alcoholic Beverages Article.

18 Occurred: Ch. 730, Acts of 2016.

### 19 **Article – Business Occupations and Professions**

20 6–103.

21 (a) This title does not affect the right of any local jurisdiction of the State:

22 (5) to collect, from a person who is [~~licensed~~] **REGISTERED** with a local  
23 board, fees for:

24 (i) an examination for a registration to provide electrical services;

25 (ii) issuance and renewal of the registration; or

26 (iii) an inspection.

1 (b) If a local jurisdiction [licenses] **REGISTERS** any class of electricians other  
2 than master electricians, journeyman electricians, or apprentice electricians, that class  
3 is also under the control and supervision of the local board.

4 **DRAFTER'S NOTE:**

5 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 6–103(a)(5) and (b) of the Business Occupations and  
6 Professions Article.

7 Occurred: Ch. 708, Acts of 2021. Correction suggested by the Attorney General in the  
8 Bill Review Letter for S.B. 762 (Ch. 708) of 2021 (footnote 5), dated May 6, 2021.

9 **Article – Corporations and Associations**

10 1–202.

11 When the Department accepts for record any charter document or any document  
12 designating or changing the name or address of a resident agent or principal office of a  
13 Maryland corporation, the Department shall:

14 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the corporation, its attorney, or its  
15 agent stating the date and time that the document was accepted for record[; and

16 (ii) Unless the corporation, its attorney, or its agent at the time of  
17 filing declines the return, return the document on payment of the fee provided in §  
18 1–203(b)(10) of this subtitle].

19 **DRAFTER'S NOTE:**

20 Error: Obsolete cross-reference in § 1–202(3)(ii) of the Corporations and Associations  
21 Article.

22 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.

23 2–105.

24 (c) Notwithstanding subsection [(a)(12)] **(A)(13)** of this section, the board of  
25 directors of a corporation that is registered or intends to register as an open-end company  
26 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, after the registration as an open-end company  
27 takes effect, may increase or decrease the aggregate number of shares of stock or the  
28 number of shares of stock of any class that the corporation has authority to issue, unless a  
29 provision has been included in the charter of the corporation after July 1, 1987 prohibiting  
30 an action by the board of directors to increase or decrease the aggregate number of shares  
31 of stock or the number of shares of stock of any class that the corporation has authority to  
32 issue.

33 **DRAFTER'S NOTE:**

1 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 2–105(c) of the Corporations and  
2 Associations Article.

3 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 95 and 96, Acts of 2010.  
4 2–604.

5 (f) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the proposed amendment  
6 shall be approved by the stockholders of the corporation by the affirmative vote of [two  
7 thirds] **TWO–THIRDS** of all the votes entitled to be cast on the matter.

8 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

9 Error: Stylistic error in § 2–604(f) of the Corporations and Associations Article.

10 Occurred: Ch. 311, Acts of 1975.  
11 4A–207.

12 (c) When the Department accepts for record any articles, certificate, or other  
13 document, the Department shall:

14 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the limited liability company, its  
15 attorney, or its agent stating the date and time that the document was accepted for record[;  
16 and

17 (ii) Unless the limited liability company, its attorney, or its agent at  
18 the time of filing declines the return, return the document on payment of the fee provided  
19 in § 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

20 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

21 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 4A–207(c)(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
22 Associations Article.

23 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.  
24 4A–1001.

25 (a) Subject to the [Constitution of this State] **MARYLAND CONSTITUTION:**

26 (1) The laws of the state under which a foreign limited liability company is  
27 organized govern its organization, internal affairs, and the liability of its members; and



1 (2) A foreign limited liability company may not be denied registration by  
2 reason of any difference between those laws and the laws of this State.

3 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

4 Error: Stylistic error in § 4A–1001(a) of the Corporations and Associations Article.

5 Occurred: Ch. 536, Acts of 1992.

6 4A–1003.

7 If the Department finds that an application for registration meets the requirements  
8 of this title and all required fees have been paid, it shall:

9 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the person who filed the application  
10 or a representative of the person who filed the application stating the date and time that  
11 the document was accepted for record[; and

12 (ii) Unless the person who filed the application or the person's  
13 representative at the time of filing declines the return, return the document on payment of  
14 the fee provided in § 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

15 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

16 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 4A–1003(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
17 Associations Article.

18 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.

19 4A–1009.

20 (a) In addition to any other activities which may not constitute doing business in  
21 this State, for the purposes of this title, the following activities of a foreign limited liability  
22 company do not constitute doing business in this State:

23 (8) Selling or transferring title to property in this State so acquired to any  
24 person, including the Federal Housing Administration or the [Veterans Administration]  
25 **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.**

26 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

27 Error: Misnomer in § 4A–1009(a)(8) of the Corporations and Associations Article.

28 Occurred: As a result of the federal Department of Veterans Affairs Act of 1988,  
29 which renamed the Veterans Administration to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

30 9A–1002.

1 (d) When the Department accepts for record any certificate or other document,  
2 the Department shall:

3 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the limited liability partnership, its  
4 attorney, or its agent stating the date and time that the document was accepted for record[;  
5 and

6 (ii) Unless the limited liability partnership, its attorney, or its agent  
7 at the time of filing declines the return, return the document on payment of the fee provided  
8 in § 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

9 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

10 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 9A–1002(d)(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
11 Associations Article.

12 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.  
13 9A–1102.

14 If the Department finds that an application for registration meets the requirements  
15 of this subtitle and all required fees have been paid, it shall:

16 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the person who filed the application  
17 or a representative of the person who filed the application stating the date and time that  
18 the document was accepted for record[; and

19 (ii) Unless the person who filed the application or the person’s  
20 representative at the time of filing declines the return, return the document on payment of  
21 the fee provided in § 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

22 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

23 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 9A–1102(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
24 Associations Article.

25 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.  
26 10–206.

27 (b) When the Department accepts for record any certificate, the Department  
28 shall:

29 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the partnership, its attorney, or its  
30 agent stating the date and time that the document was accepted for record[; and

1 (ii) Unless the partnership, its attorney, or its agent at the time of  
2 filing declines the return, return the document on payment of the fee provided in §  
3 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

4 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

5 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 10–206(b)(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
6 Associations Article.

7 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.  
8 10–209.

9 (a) (2) When the Comptroller certifies the list [of] TO the Department, the  
10 Comptroller shall mail to each listed limited partnership, at its address as it appears on  
11 the Comptroller’s records, a notice that its right to do business in Maryland and the right  
12 to the use of its name will be forfeited unless all taxes, interest, and penalties due by it are  
13 paid.

14 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

15 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 10–209(a)(2) of the Corporations and Associations  
16 Article.

17 Occurred: Ch. 295, Acts of 1995.  
18 10–903.

19 If the Department finds that an application for registration meets the requirements  
20 of this title and all required fees have been paid, it shall:

21 (3) [(i)] Send an acknowledgment to the person who filed the application  
22 or his representative stating the date and time that the document was accepted for record[;  
23 and

24 (ii) Unless the person who filed the application or the person’s  
25 representative at the time of filing declines the return, return the document on payment of  
26 the fee provided in § 1–203(b)(10) of this article].

27 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

28 Error: Obsolete cross–reference in § 10–903(3)(ii) of the Corporations and  
29 Associations Article.

30 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 44, Acts of 2018, which repealed the fee.

**Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

1  
2 3–1503.

3 (b) **[(1)]** The petition shall:

4 **[(i)] (1)** Be under oath and provide notice to the petitioner that an  
5 individual who knowingly provides false information in the petition is guilty of a  
6 misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to the penalties specified in subsection (d) of this  
7 section;

8 **[(ii)] (2)** Subject to the provisions of subsection (c) of this section,  
9 contain the address of the petitioner or the petitioner’s employee; and

10 **[(iii)] (3)** Include all information known to the petitioner of:

11 **[1.] (I)** The nature and extent of the act specified in  
12 subsection (a) of this section for which the relief is being sought, including information  
13 known to the petitioner concerning previous harm or injury resulting from an act specified  
14 in subsection (a) of this section by the respondent;

15 **[2.] (II)** Each previous and pending action between the  
16 parties in any court; and

17 **[3.] (III)** The whereabouts of the respondent.

18 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

19 Error: Tabulation error in § 3–1503(b) of the Courts Article.

20 Occurred: Ch. 404, Acts of 1999.

21 7–204.

22 (a) (2) The Clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County shall:

23 (ii) Charge as costs the following fee for docketing the appearance of  
24 counsel when bringing or defending a criminal action:

25 1. If the punishment for the offense charged is **[death or]**  
26 confinement in the State penitentiary, a \$20 fee; and

27 (4) The Clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore City shall:

28 (ii) Charge as costs the following fee for docketing the appearance of  
29 counsel when bringing or defending a criminal action:

1                   1.     If the punishment for the offense charged is [death or]  
2 confinement in the State penitentiary, a \$20 fee; and

3           DRAFTER'S NOTE:

4           Error: Obsolete term in § 7–204(a)(2)(ii)1 and (4)(ii)1 of the Courts Article.

5           Occurred: As a result of Ch. 156, Acts of 2013, which repealed the death penalty.

## 6                                   Article – Criminal Procedure

7 17–101.

8           (l)     “STR DNA profile” means a genetic profile that examines genetic locations on  
9 the non–sex chromosomes that are used for the statewide DNA [data base] **DATABASE**  
10 system or the national DNA [data base] **DATABASE** system.

11          DRAFTER'S NOTE:

12          Error: Stylistic error in § 17–101(l) of the Criminal Procedure Article.

13          Occurred: Chs. 681 and 682, Acts of 2021.

14 17–102.

15          (b)     A sworn affidavit shall be submitted by a law enforcement agent with approval  
16 of a prosecutor from the relevant jurisdiction asserting that:

17                   (3)     an STR DNA profile has already been developed from the forensic  
18 sample, was entered into the statewide DNA [data base] **DATABASE** system and the  
19 national DNA [data base] **DATABASE** system, and failed to identify a known individual;  
20 and

21          (e)     The laboratory conducting SNP or other sequencing–based testing and the  
22 genetic genealogist participating in FGGS shall be licensed by the Office of Health Care  
23 Quality in accordance with § 17–104 of this [subtitle] **TITLE**.

24          (f)     (1)     (i)     Subject to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, informed consent  
25 in writing shall be obtained from any third party whose DNA sample is sought for the  
26 purpose of assisting [a] AN FGGS and all statements made in obtaining the informed  
27 consent shall be documented from beginning to end by video or audio recording.

28                   (2)     The person obtaining the informed consent shall have training from a  
29 genetic counselor approved by the Office of Health Care Quality under § 17–104 of this  
30 [subtitle] **TITLE** within 1 year after the Office of Health Care Quality has identified and

1 approved a genetic counselor or within 1 year after the person joins the investigative unit  
2 conducting the investigation, whichever is later.

3 (k) A person whose genetic genealogy information, FGG profile, or DNA sample  
4 is wrongfully disclosed, collected, or maintained in violation of this [subtitle] TITLE has a  
5 private right of action under relevant State law guiding tort claims, and is entitled to  
6 minimum liquidated damages of \$5,000 for a violation.

7 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

8 Error: Stylistic errors in § 17–102(b)(3), (e), and (f)(2) of the Criminal Procedure  
9 Article. Incorrect word usage in § 17–102(f)(1)(i) of the Criminal Procedure Article.  
10 Erroneous internal reference in § 17–102(k) of the Criminal Procedure Article.

11 Occurred: Chs. 681 and 682, Acts of 2021.

12 17–103.

13 (a) A defendant in a criminal case charged with a crime of violence under §  
14 14–101 of the Criminal Law Article or a defendant convicted of a crime of violence under §  
15 14–101 of the Criminal Law Article and seeking postconviction DNA testing is entitled to  
16 seek judicial authorization for an FGGS by filing an affidavit with a trial court or  
17 postconviction court certifying that:

18 (2) an STR DNA profile has already been developed from the forensic  
19 sample, was entered into the State DNA [data base] DATABASE system and the [National]  
20 NATIONAL DNA [data base] DATABASE system, and failed to identify a known individual;

21 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

22 Error: Stylistic errors in § 17–103(a)(2) of the Criminal Procedure Article.

23 Occurred: Chs. 681 and 682, Acts of 2021.

24 17–104.

25 (a) The Office of Health Care Quality shall establish:

26 (1) a licensing program for laboratories performing SNP or other  
27 [sequencing based] SEQUENCING–BASED testing on evidence in support of FGGS on or  
28 before October 1, 2022; and

29 (b) The Office of Health Care Quality shall:

30 (1) develop a training program on obtaining informed consent under §§  
31 17–102 and 17–103 of this [subtitle] TITLE; and

1 (c) The Maryland Forensic Laboratory Advisory Committee shall:

2 (1) establish best practices for laboratories performing SNP or other  
3 [sequencing based] **SEQUENCING–BASED** methods; and

4 (e) Neither the laboratory conducting SNP or other [sequencing based]  
5 **SEQUENCING–BASED** testing, nor a law enforcement official, may disclose genetic  
6 genealogy information without authorization.

7 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

8 Error: Omitted hyphens in § 17–104(a)(1), (c)(1), and (e) of the Criminal Procedure  
9 Article. Stylistic error in § 17–104(b)(1) of the Criminal Procedure Article.

10 Occurred: Chs. 681 and 682, Acts of 2021.

11 17–105.

12 (a) On or before June 1 annually, the Governor’s Office of Crime Prevention,  
13 Youth, and Victim Services shall submit a publicly available report to the Governor and, in  
14 accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly, that  
15 shall include, for the preceding calendar year:

16 (1) the number of requests for FGGS made, broken down by number of  
17 requests made by prosecutors, [pre–trial] **PRETRIAL** defendants, and postconviction  
18 defendants;

19 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

20 Error: Extraneous hyphen in § 17–105(a)(1) of the Criminal Procedure Article.

21 Occurred: Chs. 681 and 682, Acts of 2021.

## 22 **Article – Education**

23 3–901.

24 (a) (1) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

25 (2) “Board of [Education District] **EDUCATION DISTRICT**” means a  
26 geographic area of Montgomery County in which an elected member of the Montgomery  
27 County Board of Education must be a legal resident. The geographic area of each district is  
28 described in subsection (f) of this section. Each district shall be substantially equal in  
29 population, and the districts shall be reapportioned on the basis of each decennial census  
30 of the United States.

31 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

1 Error: Stylistic error in § 3–901(a)(2) of the Education Article.

2 Occurred: Ch. 660, Acts of 1985.

3 7–1A–01.

4 (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

5 [(d) “Eligible public provider” means an early learning program that:

6 (1) Is provided by a county board at a public school; and

7 (2) Meets the requirements under § 7–1A–04 of this subtitle.]

8 [(e)] **(D)** (1) “Eligible private provider” means a [community based]  
9 **COMMUNITY–BASED** early learning program that:

10 (i) Is licensed in the State;

11 (ii) Does not charge more tuition for full–day prekindergarten than  
12 the cost of quality; and

13 (iii) Meets the requirements under § 7–1A–04 of this subtitle.

14 (2) “Eligible private provider” includes the Ulysses Currie Head Start  
15 Program under § 5–231 of this article.

16 **(E) “ELIGIBLE PUBLIC PROVIDER” MEANS AN EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM**  
17 **THAT:**

18 **(1) IS PROVIDED BY A COUNTY BOARD AT A PUBLIC SCHOOL; AND**

19 **(2) MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER § 7–1A–04 OF THIS**  
20 **SUBTITLE.**

21 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

22 Error: Stylistic error (failure to codify definitions in alphabetical order) and omitted  
23 hyphen in § 7–1A–01(d) and (e) of the Education Article.

24 Occurred: Ch. 36, § 3, Acts of 2021.

25 7–447.1.

26 (d) The Consortium consists of the following members:



1 (14) The following members appointed by the Governor:

2 (i) One representative of the [community] behavioral health  
3 community with expertise in telehealth;

4 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

5 Error: Extraneous word in § 7-447.1(d)(14)(i) of the Education Article.

6 Occurred: Ch. 36, § 3, Acts of 2021.

7 **Article – Environment**

8 9-1605.2.

9 (i) (2) Funds in the Bay Restoration Fund shall be used only:

10 (i) 1. To award grants for up to 100% of eligible costs of projects  
11 relating to planning, design, construction, and upgrade of a publicly owned wastewater  
12 facility for flows up to the design capacity of the wastewater facility, as approved by the  
13 Department, to achieve enhanced nutrient removal in accordance with [paragraph (3)]  
14 **PARAGRAPH (4)** of this subsection; and

15 2. To award grants for up to 50% of eligible costs of projects  
16 relating to planning, design, construction, and upgrade of a privately owned wastewater  
17 facility for flows up to the design capacity of the wastewater facility, as approved by the  
18 Department, to achieve enhanced nutrient removal in accordance with [paragraph (3)]  
19 **PARAGRAPH (4)** of this subsection;

20 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

21 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 9-1605.2(i)(2)(i) of the Environment Article.

22 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 366 and 367, Acts of 2017, which added a new  
23 paragraph (3).

24 **Article – Family Law**

25 5-704.

26 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, including any law on privileged  
27 communications, each health practitioner, police officer, educator, or human service  
28 worker, acting in a professional capacity in this State[:

1 (1) who has reason to believe that a child has been subjected to abuse or  
2 neglect[,]:

3 (1) shall notify the local department or the appropriate law enforcement  
4 agency; and

5 (2) if acting as a staff member of a hospital, public health agency, child care  
6 institution, juvenile detention center, school, or similar institution, shall immediately  
7 notify and give all information required by this section to the head of the institution or the  
8 designee of the head.

9 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

10 Error: Erroneous tabulation in § 5–704(a) of the Family Law Article.

11 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 398 and 399, Acts of 2011.

## 12 Article – Financial Institutions

13 12–410.

14 (e) (3) Each licensee shall conspicuously display the following information on  
15 the licensee's website, [a] ANY mobile application through which the services are offered,  
16 [on] the outside of the self-service financial kiosk, any software application accessible to  
17 the public and used for money transmission services, and THE profile page within each  
18 social media platform the licensee uses:

19 (i) The licensee's unique identifier;

20 (ii) A link to the NMLS Consumer Access website; and

21 (iii) A notice stating, "The Commissioner of Financial Regulation for  
22 the State of Maryland will accept all questions or complaints from Maryland residents  
23 regarding (name of licensee and unique identifier) at (address of Commissioner), phone  
24 (toll-free phone number of the Commissioner)".

25 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

26 Error: Incorrect word usage, extraneous word, and omitted article in § 12–410(e)(3)  
27 of the Financial Institutions Article.

28 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 100 and 101, Acts of 2021, each of which amended §  
29 12–410(e)(3) of the Financial Institutions Article. Correction suggested by the Attorney  
30 General in the Bill Review Letter for S.B. 219 and 251 (Chs. 100 and 101) of 2021 (footnote  
31 1), dated April 12, 2021.

**Article – General Provisions**

1  
2 4–101.

3 (k) (3) “Public record” does not include:

4 (ii) a record or any information submitted to the Public Access  
5 Ombudsman or the Board under Subtitle [1A] **1B** of this title.

6 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

7 Error: Erroneous cross–reference in § 4–101(k)(3)(ii) of the General Provisions  
8 Article.

9 Occurred: Ch. 658, Acts of 2021. Correction suggested by the Attorney General in the  
10 Bill Review Letter for H.B. 183 (Ch. 658) of 2021 (footnote 1), dated May 6, 2021.

**Article – Health – General**

11  
12 4–211.

13 (d) The Secretary may not make a new certificate of birth in connection with an  
14 order of a court of competent jurisdiction relating to the adoption of an individual, if one of  
15 the following so directs the Secretary:

16 (1) The court that decrees the adoption[.];

17 (2) The adoptive parents[.]; **OR**

18 (3) The adopted individual, if an adult.

19 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

20 Error: Incorrect punctuation and omitted conjunction in § 4–211(d) of the Health –  
21 General Article.

22 Occurred: Ch. 21, Acts of 1982.

23 19–214.1.

24 (c) (2) The notice required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall:

25 (ii) Be provided in the patient’s preferred language or, if no preferred  
26 language is specified, each language spoken by a limited English proficient population that  
27 constitutes **AT LEAST** 5% of the overall population within the city or county in which the  
28 hospital is located as measured by the most recent census.

1 (f) (2) The information sheet shall:

2 (ii) Be in the patient's preferred language or, if no preferred  
3 language is specified, each language spoken by a limited English proficient population that  
4 constitutes **AT LEAST** 5% of the overall population within the city or county in which the  
5 hospital is located as measured by the most recent census.

6 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

7 Error: Omitted words in § 19–214.1(c)(2)(ii) and (f)(2)(ii) of the Health – General  
8 Article.

9 Occurred: Ch. 470, Acts of 2020.

10 19–214.2.

11 (i) (2) The notice required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall:

12 (iv) Be provided in the patient's preferred language or, if no preferred  
13 language is specified, each language spoken by a limited English proficient population that  
14 constitutes **AT LEAST** 5% of the population within the jurisdiction in which the hospital is  
15 located as measured by the most recent federal census.

16 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

17 Error: Omitted words in § 19–214.2(i)(2)(iv) of the Health – General Article.

18 Occurred: Chs. 769 and 770, Acts of 2021.

19 20–1408.

20 (a) (2) The reporting required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be  
21 **SUBMITTED** periodically in accordance with a schedule determined by the Commission.

22 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

23 Error: Omitted word in § 20–1408(a)(2) of the Health – General Article.

24 Occurred: Ch. 742, Acts of 2021.

25 20–2002.

26 (b) A person who violates [§ 20–2001] **SUBSECTION (A)** of this [subtitle]  
27 **SECTION** is subject to a civil penalty imposed by the Department not exceeding \$5,000 for  
28 each violation.

29 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

1 Error: Erroneous cross-reference in § 20–2002(b) of the Health – General Article.

2 Occurred: Chs. 466 and 467, Acts of 2021.

3 24–1202.

4 (a) The General Assembly:

5 (3) Acknowledges that the three-digit number, 2–1–1, is a nationally  
6 recognized and applied telephone number which may be used for information and referral  
7 and eliminates delays caused by lack of familiarity with health and human [service]  
8 **SERVICES** numbers and by understandable confusion in circumstances of crisis; and

9 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

10 Error: Grammatical error in § 24–1202(a)(3) of the Health – General Article.

11 Occurred: Ch. 390, Acts of 2004.

12 24–1203.

13 (a) Except as provided in subsection [(d)] (C) of this section, an agency or  
14 organization shall be approved by 2–1–1 Maryland as a 2–1–1 Maryland call center in order  
15 to provide 2–1–1 services in the State.

16 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

17 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 24–1203(a) of the Health – General Article.

18 Occurred: Ch. 295, Acts of 2020.

### 19 Article – Health Occupations

20 8–508.

21 (a) (2) “Nurse practitioner” means a registered nurse who is:

22 (ii) Authorized to prescribe drugs under regulations adopted by the  
23 [State] Board [of Nursing].

24 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

25 Error: Extraneous language in § 8–508(a)(2)(ii) of the Health Occupations Article.

26 Occurred: Ch. 454, Acts of 1993.

1 12-6D-05.

2 (a) An applicant for registration shall:

3 (2) Provide documentation of:

4 (iii) For an applicant who satisfies the requirements under [§  
5 12-6D-02(a)(4)] **§ 12-6D-03(A)(4)** of this subtitle, proof of:

6 1. Educational equivalency; and

7 2. Oral English competency;

8 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

9 Error: Erroneous cross-reference in § 12-6D-05(a)(2)(iii) of the Health Occupations  
10 Article.

11 Occurred: Chs. 564 and 565, Acts of 2014.

12 13-313.

13 (a) The Board may issue a temporary license to an applicant who, except for  
14 passing an examination otherwise required under this subtitle, has met the appropriate  
15 education and experience requirements of this subtitle for a physical therapist license or a  
16 physical therapy assistant license under [§ 10-305 of this article] **§ 13-302 OF THIS**  
17 **SUBTITLE.**

18 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

19 Error: Erroneous cross-reference in § 13-313(a) of the Health Occupations Article.

20 Occurred: Chs. 473 and 474, Acts of 2021.

21 14-5B-16.

22 (a) Subject to subsection [(c)] **(B)** of this section, on the application of an  
23 individual whose license has been revoked, a disciplinary panel may reinstate a revoked  
24 license.

25 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

26 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 14-5B-16(a) of the Health Occupations  
27 Article.

28 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 612 and 613, Acts of 2020.

1 14–5C–19.

2 (a) Subject to subsection [(c)] (B) of this section, on the application of an  
3 individual whose license has been revoked, a disciplinary panel, on the affirmative vote of  
4 a majority of its full authorized membership, may reinstate a revoked license.

5 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

6 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 14–5C–19(a) of the Health Occupations  
7 Article.

8 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 612 and 613, Acts of 2020.

9 14–5D–16.

10 (a) Subject to subsection [(c)] (B) of this section, on the application of an  
11 individual whose license has been revoked, a disciplinary panel may reinstate a revoked  
12 license.

13 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

14 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 14–5D–16(a) of the Health Occupations  
15 Article.

16 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 612 and 613, Acts of 2020.

17 15–103.

18 (d) A hospital, related institution, alternative health CARE system, or employer  
19 that has reason to know that a physician assistant has committed an action or has a  
20 condition that might be grounds for reprimand or probation of the physician assistant or  
21 suspension or revocation of the license of the physician assistant under § 15–314 of this  
22 title because the physician assistant is alcohol– or drug–impaired is not required to report  
23 to the Board if:

24 (1) The hospital, related institution, alternative health CARE system, or  
25 employer knows that the physician assistant is:

26 (i) In an alcohol or drug treatment program that is accredited by the  
27 Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations or is certified by the  
28 Department; or

29 (ii) Under the care of a health care practitioner who is competent  
30 and capable of dealing with alcoholism and drug abuse;





1 assistance for their electric, gas, or other [source energy] **ENERGY SOURCE** bills through  
2 navigators.

3 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

4 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 5-5A-08(c)(1) of the Human Services Article.

5 Occurred: Chs. 282 and 283, Acts of 2019.

6 **Article – Insurance**

7 2-208.

8 (a) Subject to subsection (b) of this section, the expense incurred in an  
9 examination made under § 2-205 of this subtitle, § 2-206 of this subtitle for surplus lines  
10 brokers and insurance holding corporations, § 23-207 of this article for premium finance  
11 companies, § 15-10B-19 of this article for private review agents, § 15-10B-20 of this  
12 article, or § 14-610 of this article for discount medical plan organizations and discount drug  
13 plan organizations shall be paid by the person examined in the following manner:

14 (3) a person may not pay and an examiner may not accept any  
15 compensation for an examination in addition to the compensation under [paragraph (1) of  
16 this section] **ITEM (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION**.

17 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

18 Error: Stylistic error in § 2-208(a)(3) of the Insurance Article.

19 Occurred: Ch. 36, Acts of 1995, and as a result of Chs. 151 and 152, Acts of 2021.

20 **Article – Labor and Employment**

21 3-1708.

22 (a) If an essential worker believes that an essential employer has violated [§  
23 3-1604] **§ 3-1704** of this subtitle:

24 (1) the essential worker may seek enforcement of rights under § 5-604 of  
25 this article; and

26 (2) the Commissioner shall respond in accordance with the enforcement  
27 provisions under Title 5 of this article.

28 (b) (1) If an essential worker believes that an essential employer has violated  
29 [§ 3-1606] **§ 3-1706** of this subtitle, the essential worker may file a written complaint with  
30 the Commissioner.

1 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

2 Error: Erroneous cross-references in § 3-1708(a) and (b)(1) of the Labor and  
3 Employment Article.

4 Occurred: As a result of Chs. 671 and 672, Acts of 2021, and Ch. 736, Acts of 2021,  
5 which each added a new Subtitle 16 in Title 3 of the Labor and Employment Article.

6 8-311.2.

7 (c) (2) The report shall include:

8 (ii) the current balance of the Unemployment Insurance Fund; **AND**

9 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

10 Error: Omitted conjunction in § 8-311.2(c)(2)(ii) of the Labor and Employment  
11 Article.

12 Occurred: Chs. 50 and 51, Acts of 2021.

13 **Article – Natural Resources**

14 3-126.

15 (d) (1) (i) 5. B. If the accountants are unable to express an  
16 unqualified [opinion] **OPINION**, they shall state and explain in detail the reasons for their  
17 qualifications, disclaimer, or opinion including recommendations necessary to make  
18 possible future unqualified opinions.

19 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

20 Error: Omitted comma in § 3-126(d)(1)(i)5B of the Natural Resources Article.

21 Occurred: Ch. 4, Acts of the First Special Session of 1973.

22 **Article – Public Safety**

23 2-315.

24 (c) The Council consists of the following members:

25 (7) the Director of the Governor's Office of Crime [Control and] Prevention,  
26 **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES**, or the Director's designee;

27 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

1 Error: Misnomer in § 2–315(c)(7) of the Public Safety Article.

2 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 11, Acts of 2020, which renamed the Governor’s Office  
3 of Crime Control and Prevention to be the Governor’s Office of Crime Prevention, Youth,  
4 and Victim Services.

5 3–522.

6 (b) (1) There is a Crisis Intervention Team Center of Excellence in the  
7 Governor’s Office of Crime [Control and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES**.

8 (3) The Governor’s Office of Crime [Control and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND**  
9 **VICTIM SERVICES** shall appoint the following individuals to oversee the Center:

10 (i) a crisis intervention law enforcement coordinator;

11 (ii) a mental health coordinator;

12 (iii) an advocacy coordinator; and

13 (iv) additional coordinators necessary as determined by the  
14 Governor’s Office of Crime [Control and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES**.

15 (c) (2) The Collaborative Committee shall include the following members:

16 (ii) the Executive Director of the Governor’s Office of Crime [Control  
17 and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES**, or the Executive Director’s designee;

18 (iv) the following individuals, appointed by the Executive Director of  
19 the Governor’s Office of Crime [Control and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM**  
20 **SERVICES**:

21 1. at least one representative of a local behavioral health  
22 authority;

23 2. at least one representative from family and consumer  
24 mental health organizations;

25 3. a representative from the Maryland Municipal League;

26 4. a representative from the Maryland Chiefs of Police  
27 Association;

28 5. a representative from the Maryland Association of  
29 Counties;



1 **Article – Public Utilities**

2 7–705.

3 (b–1) If an electricity supplier fails to comply with the renewable energy portfolio  
4 standard that is required to be derived from post–2022 geothermal systems for the  
5 applicable year, the electricity supplier shall pay into the Maryland Strategic Energy  
6 Investment Fund established under § 9–20B–05 of the State Government Article a  
7 compliance fee of **THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS FOR EACH KILOWATT–HOUR OF**  
8 **SHORTFALL FROM REQUIRED POST–2022 GEOTHERMAL SYSTEMS:**

9 (1) 10 cents in 2023 through 2025;

10 (2) 9 cents in 2026;

11 (3) 8 cents in 2027; and

12 (4) 6.5 cents in 2028 and later.

13 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

14 Error: Omitted language in § 7–705(b–1) of the Public Utilities Article.

15 Occurred: Ch. 164, Acts of 2021. Correction suggested by the Attorney General in the  
16 Bill Review Letter for H.B. 1007 (Ch. 164) of 2021 (footnote 4), dated May 6, 2021.

17 12–101.

18 (e) “Contract locator” means a person contracted by an owner specifically to  
19 determine the approximate horizontal location of the owner’s underground facilities as  
20 specified in the ticket issued by the one–call [center] **SYSTEM**.

21 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

22 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–101(e) of the Public Utilities Article.

23 Occurred: Ch. 18, Acts of 2021.

24 12–107.

25 (b) The nine members shall be appointed as follows:

26 (4) one member from a list submitted to the Governor by the one–call  
27 [centers] **SYSTEMS** operating in the State;

28 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

1 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–107(b)(4) of the Public Utilities Article.

2 Occurred: Ch. 635, § 3, Acts of 2010.

3 12–121.

4 (c) (1) The owner–member or its contract locator shall:

5 (i) respond to an emergency notice as soon as possible but not later  
6 than 2 hours from the transmission of the ticket from the one–call [center] **SYSTEM**; and

7 (2) The person responsible for the excavation shall be on site or in  
8 communication with the owner–member, their contract locator, or their representative  
9 within 3 hours after the transmission of the ticket by the one–call [center] **SYSTEM**, or a  
10 mutually agreed response time.

11 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

12 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–121(c)(1)(i) and (2) of the Public Utilities Article.

13 Occurred: Ch. 18, Acts of 2021.

14 12–122.

15 (c) (1) The operator of a one–call system shall install and make available an  
16 underground facilities information exchange system in its one–call [center] **SYSTEM** in the  
17 State.

18 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

19 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–122(c)(1) of the Public Utilities Article.

20 Occurred: Ch. 629, Acts of 2001.

21 12–125.

22 (b) If a person discovers that a mark is obliterated, destroyed, or removed, or  
23 observes a visible indication that an underground facility or structure is not marked as  
24 required under § 12–126 of this subtitle, the person shall notify the [call center] **ONE–CALL**  
25 **SYSTEM** to request that all or part of the current scope of work of a valid ticket be  
26 re–marked.

27 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

28 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–125(b) of the Public Utilities Article.

29 Occurred: Ch. 18, Acts of 2021.

1 12–131.

2 (d) In the case of an obstruction caused by a suspected cross–bore:

3 (1) the person intending to remove the obstruction shall notify the one–call  
4 [center] **SYSTEM** and request a nonexcavation ticket for a suspected cross–bore which will  
5 be transmitted to all pertinent owner–members in the geographic area indicated for that  
6 ticket; and

7 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

8 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 12–131(d)(1) of the Public Utilities Article.

9 Occurred: Ch. 18, Acts of 2021.

### 10 Article – Real Property

11 12–102.

12 In this title, property is deemed to be taken:

13 (1) If the plaintiff lawfully is authorized to take the property before trial  
14 pursuant to Article III of the [Constitution of the State] **MARYLAND CONSTITUTION**, or  
15 any amendment to it, and the required payment has been made to the defendant or into  
16 court, any required security has been given, and the plaintiff has taken possession of the  
17 property and actually and lawfully appropriated it to the public purposes of the plaintiff.

18 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

19 Error: Stylistic error in § 12–102(1) of the Real Property Article.

20 Occurred: Ch. 12, § 2, Acts of 1974.

21 12–106.

22 (c) In proceeding under Article III of the [Constitution of the State] **MARYLAND**  
23 **CONSTITUTION**, or any amendment to it, the plaintiff shall pay interest at the rate of 6  
24 percent per annum on any difference between the amount of money initially paid into court  
25 for the use of the defendant and the jury award as stated in the inquisition, from the date  
26 the money was paid into court to the date of the inquisition or final judgment, whichever  
27 date is later.

28 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

29 Error: Stylistic error in § 12–106(c) of the Real Property Article.

1 Occurred: Ch. 12, § 2, Acts of 1974.

2 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

3 2–209.

4 (c) (1) The Council consists of the following members:

5 (i) the Director of the Governor’s Grants [Office] **OFFICE**, or the  
6 Director’s designee;

7 (ii) the Chief Procurement [Officer] **OFFICER**, or the Chief  
8 Procurement Officer’s designee;

9 (iii) the State [Treasurer] **TREASURER**, or the State Treasurer’s  
10 designee;

11 (iv) the Attorney [General] **GENERAL**, or the Attorney General’s  
12 designee;

13 (v) the Secretary of Budget and [Management] **MANAGEMENT**, or  
14 the Secretary’s designee;

15 (vi) the Secretary of [Health] **HEALTH**, or the Secretary’s designee;

16 (vii) the Secretary of Human [Services] **SERVICES**, or the Secretary’s  
17 designee;

18 (viii) the Secretary of Housing and Community [Development]  
19 **DEVELOPMENT**, or the Secretary’s designee;

20 (xiii) the Executive Director of the Governor’s Office of Crime [Control  
21 and] Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES**, or the Executive Director’s designee;

22 **DRAFTER’S NOTE:**

23 Error: Omitted commas in § 2–209(c)(1)(i) through (viii) and (xiii) of the State  
24 Finance and Procurement Article. Misnomer in § 2–209(c)(1)(xiii) of the State Finance and  
25 Procurement Article.

26 Occurred: Chs. 484 and 485, Acts of 2020, and as a result of Ch. 11, Acts of 2020,  
27 which renamed the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention to be the Governor’s  
28 Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services.

29 13–102.1.



1 (c) (4) The Fund consists of any fees imposed and collected under paragraph  
2 (b)(1) of this [subsection] SECTION and § 13–226(c) of this title.

3 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

4 Error: Erroneous internal reference in § 13–102.1(c)(4) of the State Finance and  
5 Procurement Article.

6 Occurred: Ch. 590, Acts of 2017.

7 **Article – State Government**

8 2–1247.

9 (a) In addition to any duties set forth elsewhere, the Office shall:

10 (6) perform the following duties with respect to the review of expenditures:

11 (iv) evaluate each proposal of a unit of the State government for an  
12 appropriation, including any [proposal,] PROPOSAL that:

- 13 1. is in the proposed State budget;
- 14 2. is considered with the proposed State budget; or
- 15 3. involves State financing of a capital improvement; and

16 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

17 Error: Extraneous comma in § 2–1247(a)(6)(iv) of the State Government Article.

18 Occurred: Ch. 598, Acts of 1992.

19 9–1A–24.

20 (b) (4) A video lottery operation licensee may provide food at no cost to  
21 individuals to the same extent allowed under [§ 5–303] § 6–310 of the Alcoholic Beverages  
22 Article for a person engaged in the sale or barter of spirituous, malt, or intoxicating liquors  
23 and licensed under the laws of Maryland.

24 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

25 Error: Erroneous cross-reference in § 9–1A–24(b)(4) of the State Government  
26 Article.

27 Occurred: Ch. 228, Acts of 2016.

1 9–1A–36.

2 (g) The Video Lottery Facility Location Commission may not award more than  
3 one video lottery [facility] operation license in a single county or Baltimore City.

4 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

5 Error: Extraneous word in § 9–1A–36(g) of the State Government Article.

6 Occurred: Ch. 4, Acts of the Special Session of 2007.

7 9–914.3.

8 (a) All money received by the Trust shall be deposited, as directed by the Trust,  
9 in any state or national bank, or federally or [state insured] **STATE–INSURED** savings and  
10 loan associations located in the State having a total paid–in capital of at least \$1,000,000.  
11 The trust department of any state or national bank or savings and loan association may be  
12 designated as a depository to receive any securities acquired or owned by the Trust. The  
13 restriction with respect to paid–in capital may be waived for any qualifying bank or savings  
14 and loan association that agrees to pledge securities of the state or of the United States to  
15 protect the funds and securities of the Trust in amounts and under arrangements  
16 acceptable to the Trust.

17 (b) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, any money of  
18 the Trust, in its discretion and unless otherwise provided in any agreement or covenant  
19 between the Trust and the holders of any of its obligations limiting or restricting classes of  
20 investments, may be invested in bonds or other obligations of the United States, the State,  
21 the political subdivisions or units of the State, direct or indirect federal agencies, corporate  
22 bonds with a rating of BAA3/BBB, or [mortgage backed and asset backed]  
23 **MORTGAGE–BACKED AND ASSET–BACKED** securities with a rating of AAA.

24 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

25 Error: Omitted hyphens in § 9–914.3(a) and (b)(1) of the State Government Article.

26 Occurred: Ch. 681, Acts of 2013.

27 9–940.

28 (c) The purpose of the Program is to ensure that:

29 (2) general issues relating to [veterans] **VETERANS’** needs are brought to  
30 the attention of the Governor and the General Assembly in order for them to be addressed.

31 DRAFTER’S NOTE:

32 Error: Omitted apostrophe in § 9–940(c)(2) of the State Government Article.

1 Occurred: Ch. 290, Acts of 2006.

2 9–1005.

3 (a) (2) The **STATE** Archivist shall:

4 (i) be knowledgeable in subjects relevant to archival activities; and

5 (ii) possess experience in archival or related fields.

6 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

7 Error: Omitted word in § 9–1005(a)(2) of the State Government Article.

8 Occurred: Ch. 286, § 5, Acts of 1984.

9 9–1007.

10 (a) In addition to any powers set forth elsewhere, the State Archivist may:

11 (1) adopt regulations to:

12 (iv) define the categories of records in the report of the Records  
13 Management Division under [§ 10–634] **§ 10–611** of this article;

14 (3) on request, or at the State Archivist's discretion, review, evaluate, and  
15 make recommendations to the General Assembly regarding State designations under [Title  
16 13 of this article] **TITLE 7 OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS ARTICLE.**

17 (b) At the request of the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, the  
18 Chair of the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, or the Chair  
19 of the House Health and Government Operations Committee, the State Archivist shall  
20 review, evaluate, and make recommendations to the General Assembly regarding State  
21 designations under [Title 13 of this article] **TITLE 7 OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS**  
22 **ARTICLE.**

23 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

24 Error: Obsolete cross–references in § 9–1007(a)(1)(iv) and (3) and (b) of the State  
25 Government Article.

26 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 104, Acts of 2014, and Ch. 94, § 2, Acts of 2014.

27 20–1036.

1 (c) (1) In a civil action under subsection (a) of this section, the court may:

2 (i) award preventive relief, including a permanent or temporary  
3 injunction, restraining order, or other order against the person responsible for a violation  
4 of Subtitle 7 of this title as necessary to [assure] **ENSURE** the full enjoyment of the rights  
5 granted by Subtitle 7 of this title;

6 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

7 Error: Incorrect word usage in § 20–1036(c)(1)(i) of the State Government Article.

8 Occurred: Ch. 120, § 2, Acts of 2009.

9 **Article – Transportation**

10 25–113.

11 (f) (2) (iv) When the Maryland Statistical Analysis Center updates a  
12 filterable data display under this section, the Governor's Office of Crime [Control and]  
13 Prevention, **YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES** shall provide electronic and written notice  
14 of the update to the General Assembly in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government  
15 Article.

16 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

17 Error: Misnomer in § 25–113(f)(2)(iv) of the Transportation Article.

18 Occurred: As a result of Ch. 11, Acts of 2020, which renamed the Governor's Office  
19 of Crime Control and Prevention to be the Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth,  
20 and Victim Services.

21 **Chapter 645 of the Acts of 2021**

22 SECTION 8. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

23 (a) Subject to subsection (b) of this section, Section [1] **2** of this Act shall be  
24 construed to apply retroactively and shall be applied to and interpreted to affect any  
25 qualified conservation completed, and any resulting afforestation or reforestation credits  
26 given, to the extent they were approved in good faith under a State or local program as a  
27 forest mitigation bank before the effective date of this Act.

28 (b) Nothing in this section requires a State or local program to reevaluate or alter  
29 any of its final determinations related to the granting or denial of afforestation or  
30 reforestation credits for qualified conservation made before the effective date of this Act.

31 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

1 Error: Erroneous internal reference in Ch. 645, § 8(a), Acts of 2021.

2 Occurred: Ch. 645, § 8, Acts of 2021.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Drafter's Notes contained  
4 in this Act are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as part of this Act.

5 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act are  
6 intended solely to correct technical errors in the law and there is no intent to revive or  
7 otherwise affect law that is the subject of other acts, whether those acts were signed by the  
8 Governor prior to or after the signing of this Act.

9 SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the publishers of the  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland, subject to the approval of the Department of Legislative  
11 Services, shall make any changes in the text of the Annotated Code necessary to effectuate  
12 any termination provision that was enacted by the General Assembly and has taken effect  
13 or will take effect prior to October 1, 2022. Any enactment of the 2022 Session of the General  
14 Assembly that negates or extends the effect of a previously enacted termination provision  
15 shall prevail over the provisions of this section.

16 SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the publishers of the  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland, in consultation with and subject to the approval of the  
18 Department of Legislative Services, shall make nonsubstantive corrections to codification,  
19 style, capitalization, punctuation, grammar, spelling, and any reference rendered incorrect  
20 or obsolete by an Act of the General Assembly, with no further action required by the  
21 General Assembly. The publishers shall adequately describe any such correction in an  
22 editor's note following the section affected.

23 SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the publishers of the  
24 Annotated Code of Maryland, in consultation with and subject to the approval of the  
25 Department of Legislative Services, shall correct all obsolete references to the Veterans  
26 Administration rendered incorrect as described in the Drafter's Note for § 4A-1009(a)(8) of  
27 the Corporations and Associations Article, as enacted by this Act.

28 SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency  
29 measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has  
30 been passed by a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to  
31 each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is  
32 enacted.