## **SENATE BILL 110**

**Unofficial Copy** 2000 Regular Session 0lr0639 SB 430/99 - JPR By: Senators Ruben, Forehand, Mitchell, Lawlah, McFadden, and Hughes Introduced and read first time: January 17, 2000 Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings Committee Report: Favorable with amendments Senate action: Adopted Read second time: April 5, 2000 CHAPTER 1 AN ACT concerning 2 Task Force to Study Stops for Routine Traffic Violations Race-Based Traffic 3 Stops FOR the purpose of establishing a Task Force to Study Stops for Routine Traffic 4 Violations Race-Based Traffic Stops; specifying the membership and duties of 5 the Task Force; prohibiting the inclusion of certain information in the data 6 collected by the Task Force; providing for the use of certain data collected by the 7 Task Force; requiring certain law enforcement agencies to provide certain 8 information to the Task Force under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain 9 uses of the data collected by the Task Force; requiring the Task Force to report 10 to the Governor on or before a certain date; and generally relating to the 11 establishment of a Task Force to Study Stops for Routine Traffic Violations 12 13 Race-Based Traffic Stops. 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 15 MARYLAND, That: 16 There is a Task Force to Study Stops for Routine Traffic Violations (a) Race-Based Traffic Stops. 17

The Task Force consists of the following 45 17 members:

22 whom shall be a member of the Coalition of Black Maryland State Troopers;

Two members appointed by the Governor;

Two members appointed by the Attorney General;

Two members appointed by the Secretary of the State Police, one of

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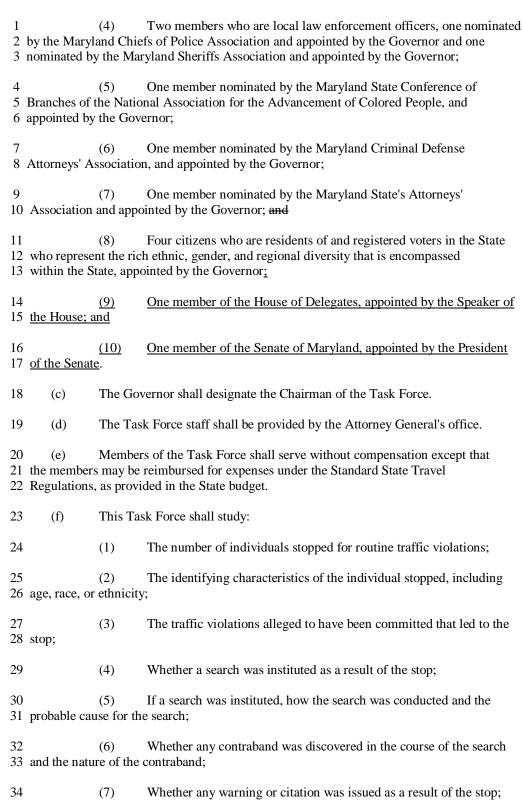
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1 2	search;	(8)	Whether an arrest was made as a result of either the stop or the
5			The benefit of traffic stops with regard to the interdiction of drugs rug trafficking, including the approximate quantity of drugs and s seized on an annual basis as a result of routine traffic stops;
7 8	routine traffi	(10) c violatio	Any other appropriate issues relating to individuals stopped for ons.
11 12 13	not in confli	Code of Moct with and on to the 'that may	Inforcement agency defined under Article 27, § 727(b) of the Maryland may provide, to the extent practicable and to the extent my laws of the State, information described under subsection (f) Task Force, provided that the information may not contain any reveal the identity of any individual who is stopped or any law
15	<del>(g)</del>	<u>(h)</u>	Data acquired by the Task Force may be used only for:
	that may rev		research or statistical purposes and may not contain any information lentity of any individual who is stopped or any law enforcement
21	to be used as	s manage	developing any recommendations from the Task Force which tement agencies to adopt policies against race-based traffic stops ment tools to promote nondiscriminatory law enforcement and unseling of law enforcement officers.
			Data acquired by the Task Force may not be used in any legal or eding to establish an inference of discrimination on the basis of characteristics.
26 27	(i) this section	(j) to the Go	The Task Force shall report the results of the study conducted under vernor by October 1, 2001.
28 29	SECTIO October 1, 2		D BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect