

# HOUSE BILL 977

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By: **Prince George's County Delegation and Montgomery County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 6, 2014

Assigned to: Economic Matters

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission Park Police –**  
3 **Workers' Compensation – Lyme Disease Presumption – Repeal of**  
4 **Termination Date**

5 **PG/MC 110–14**

6 FOR the purpose of repealing the termination date of certain provisions of law relating  
7 to an occupational disease presumption under the workers' compensation law  
8 for Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission park police  
9 officers who contract Lyme disease under certain circumstances; and generally  
10 relating to the occupational disease presumption for Lyme disease under the  
11 workers' compensation law.

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Chapter 98 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2008  
14 Section 2

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

17 **Chapter 98 of the Acts of 2008**

18 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
19 October 1, 2008. [It shall remain effective for a period of 7 years and, at the end of  
20 September 30, 2015, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act  
21 shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.]

22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
23 October 1, 2014.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

