

# HOUSE BILL 1495

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By: **Delegate Conaway**

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Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Crimes – Robbery Committed Against Elderly Persons – Penalties**

3 FOR the purpose of prohibiting a person under a certain age from committing or  
4 attempting to commit robbery if the victim is an individual over a certain age;  
5 establishing penalties for a violation of this Act; providing that a sentence  
6 imposed under this Act shall be consecutive to and not concurrent with a certain  
7 other sentence; and generally relating to robbery.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – Criminal Law

10 Section 3–403.1

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

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

15 **Article – Criminal Law**

16 **3–403.1.**

17 **(A) A PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 50 YEARS MAY NOT COMMIT OR**  
18 **ATTEMPT TO COMMIT ROBBERY UNDER § 3–402 OF THIS SUBTITLE IF THE**  
19 **VICTIM IS AN INDIVIDUAL OVER THE AGE OF 62 YEARS.**

20 **(B) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY**  
21 **AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 18 YEARS.**

22 **(C) A SENTENCE IMPOSED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE**  
23 **CONSECUTIVE TO AND NOT CONCURRENT WITH ANY OTHER SENTENCE IMPOSED**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 FOR ANY CRIME BASED ON THE ACT ESTABLISHING THE VIOLATION OF THIS  
2 SECTION.

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