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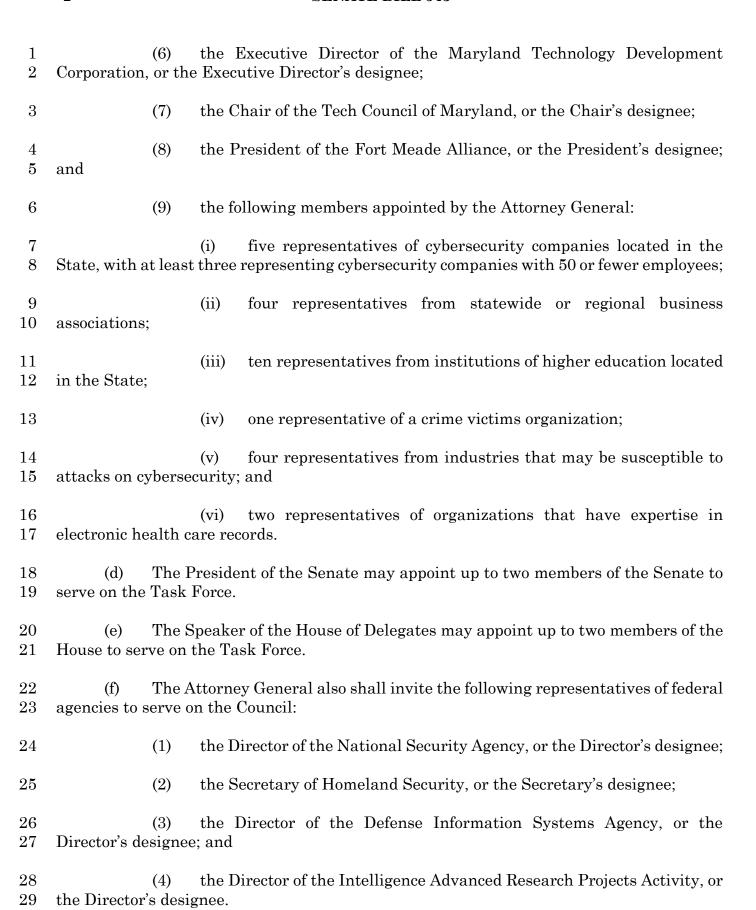
1 AN ACT concerning

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Task Force on Procurement and Cybersecurity

- 3 FOR the purpose of establishing the Task Force on Procurement and Cybersecurity; providing for the composition, chair, and staffing of the Task Force; prohibiting a 4 5 member of the Task Force from receiving certain compensation, but authorizing the 6 reimbursement of certain expenses; requiring the Task Force to conduct a study and 7 make recommendations regarding certain laws, policies, procedures, and best 8 practices that should be adopted by the State to address cybersecurity issues; 9 requiring the Task Force to submit its recommendations to the Governor and certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date; providing for the 10 11 termination of this Act; and generally relating to a study on procurement and 12 cybersecurity.
- 13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, 14 That:
- 15 (a) There is a Task Force on Procurement and Cybersecurity.
- 16 (b) The Task Force consists of the following members:
- 17 (1) the Attorney General, or the Attorney General's designee;
- 18 (2) the Secretary of Information Technology, or the Secretary's designee;
- 19 (3) the Secretary of State Police, or the Secretary's designee;
- 20 (4) the Director of the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center, or the 21 Director's designee;
- 22 (5) the Executive Director of the Maryland Emergency Management 23 Agency, or the Executive Director's designee;





The Attorney General shall chair the Task Force.

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2 (h) The University of Maryland University College shall provide staff for the Task 3 Force. A member of the Task Force: 4 (i) 5 (1) may not receive compensation as a member of the Task Force; but 6 is entitled to reimbursement for expenses under the Standard State (2)7 Travel Regulations, as provided in the State budget. 8 The Task Force shall conduct a study and make recommendations regarding procurement laws, policies, and procedures that should be adopted by the State to address 9 cybersecurity issues. 10 11 (k) On or before July 1, 2018, the Task Force shall submit its recommendations 12 to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the 13 Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee. SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 14

1, 2015. It shall remain effective for a period of 3 years and 1 month and, at the end of July 30, 2018, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be

abrogated and of no further force and effect.