

# HOUSE BILL 349

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(6lr1500)

## ENROLLED BILL

— *Ways and Means/Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs* —

Introduced by **Delegates Grammer, Adams, Afzali, Anderton, Angel, Arentz, Aumann, Beitzel, Bromwell, Buckel, Carozza, Cassilly, Chang, Ciliberti, Cluster, Cullison, Ebersole, Fennell, Fisher, Flanagan, Fraser-Hidalgo, Gaines, Ghrist, Glass, Glenn, Hammen, Hayes, Hettleman, Hill, Hornberger, S. Howard, Impallaria, Jackson, Jacobs, Jalisi, Kelly, Kipke, Kittleman, Korman, Krebs, Krimm, Lafferty, Lam, Lisanti, Long, Luedtke, Malone, Mautz, McComas, McConkey, McCray, McDonough, McKay, McMillan, Metzgar, Miele, A. Miller, W. Miller, Moon, Morales, Morgan, Otto, Parrott, Platt, Reilly, Rey, B. Robinson, S. Robinson, Rose, Rosenberg, Saab, Shoemaker, Simonaire, Smith, Stein, Sydnor, Szeliga, Tarlau, Vogt, A. Washington, West, C. Wilson, Wivell, K. Young, P. Young, and Zucker**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Speaker.

CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore County – Education – Career Exploration and Development Activities**

3 **– ~~Caffeinated Beverages~~ Coffee**

4 **(Java Act)**

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### EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

*Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.*



1 FOR the purpose of prohibiting an Executive Branch agency from banning or regulating  
 2 the sale of ~~caffeinated beverages~~ *coffee* in conjunction with a career exploration and  
 3 development activity in a public high school in ~~the State~~ *Baltimore County*; providing  
 4 for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to the sale of ~~caffeinated~~  
 5 ~~beverages~~ *coffee* in conjunction with a career exploration and development activity  
 6 in a public high school *in Baltimore County*.

7 BY adding to  
 8 Article – Education  
 9 Section 7–423.1  
 10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
 11 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Education**

15 **7–423.1.**

16 **(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN BALTIMORE COUNTY.**

17 **(B) AN EXECUTIVE BRANCH AGENCY MAY NOT BAN OR REGULATE THE SALE**  
 18 **OF ~~CAFFEINATED BEVERAGES~~ *COFFEE* IN CONJUNCTION WITH A CAREER**  
 19 **EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY IN A PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL ~~IN THE~~**  
 20 **~~STATE~~.**

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
 22 1, 2016. It shall remain effective for a period of 3 years and, at the end of June 30, 2019,  
 23 with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and  
 24 of no further force and effect.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.