

HOUSE BILL 364

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By: **Delegate Conaway**

Introduced and read first time: January 25, 2017

Assigned to: Appropriations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City – Public Art – Verification of Location by Legislative Auditor**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring that Baltimore City include with a certain financial report
4 an inventory of all public art owned by Baltimore City; requiring that the Legislative
5 Auditor each year verify that each piece of public art included in the inventory is at
6 the location specified in the inventory; defining a certain term; and generally relating
7 to the verification of the location of public art owned by Baltimore City.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – Local Government

10 Section 16–310

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2013 Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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

15 **Article – Local Government**

16 **16–310.**

17 **(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION, “PUBLIC ART” MEANS:**

18 **(I) AN ARCHITECTURAL ENHANCEMENT OF ARTISTIC**
19 **SIGNIFICANCE; OR**

20 **(II) AN INDIVIDUAL PIECE OF ART.**

21 **(2) “PUBLIC ART” INCLUDES:**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



- 1 **(I) A MURAL;**
2 **(II) A TILE MOSAIC;**
3 **(III) A PAINTING; AND**
4 **(IV) A SCULPTURE.**

5 **(B) BALTIMORE CITY SHALL INCLUDE WITH THE FINANCIAL REPORT**
6 **SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES UNDER § 16-304 OF**
7 **THIS SUBTITLE AN INVENTORY OF ALL PUBLIC ART OWNED BY BALTIMORE CITY.**

8 **(C) EACH YEAR THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR SHALL VERIFY THAT EACH**
9 **PIECE OF PUBLIC ART INCLUDED IN THE INVENTORY IS AT THE LOCATION**
10 **SPECIFIED IN THE INVENTORY.**

11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
12 October 1, 2017.