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Maryland Law Enforcement and Governmental Trust Act Criminal Procedure – Immigration – Community Trust

FOR the purpose of providing that a certain official is immune from criminal and civil liability for refusing to provide information to the federal government or another state that will be used for a certain purpose; authorizing the State to indemnify a certain official for certain costs or a certain judgment; expressing the intent of the General Assembly to restore maintain community trust in Maryland governmental operations and law enforcement and government by clarifying the parameters of State and local participation in federal immigration enforcement efforts; prohibiting a certain government agent from taking certain actions for certain purposes; prohibiting a law enforcement official from stopping, arresting, searching, or detaining an individual for the purpose of investigating a suspected immigration violation or inquiring about certain matters; prohibiting a government agent from using certain funds, facilities, property, equipment, or personnel for certain

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

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



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purposes; prohibiting a government agent from making a certain database available for a certain purpose; prohibiting a State or local law enforcement agency from placing a law enforcement officer under a certain supervision or employing a certain law enforcement officer under certain circumstances; prohibiting a certain agent from taking certain actions without a judicial warrant; agent from taking certain actions at a certain time under certain circumstances; prohibiting a State or local correctional agent or employee from taking certain actions under certain circumstances; prohibiting a certain officer or unit of State government from spending certain funds for a certain purpose; prohibiting the State from reimbursing certain expenditures; providing that the State is not obligated to appropriate money to pay a certain expenditure; providing that a certain employee or officer who makes a certain expenditure or receives certain funds is subject to certain disciplinary action under certain provisions of law; requiring the Attorney General to develop certain policies in consultation with certain stakeholders; requiring authorizing all public schools, hospitals, and courthouses to establish and publish certain policies; providing that nothing in this Act shall prevent a certain State agent or employee from responding to a certain request or sending or receiving certain information; requiring all State agencies to review certain policies, identify certain changes, and make certain changes at a certain time for certain purposes; establishing that a certain agreement that conflicts with a certain provision of this Act is null and void at a certain time; requiring certain memoranda of agreement to be initiated and evaluated in a certain manner; defining certain terms; making the provisions of this Act severable; and generally relating to State and local participation in federal immigration enforcement efforts.

25 BY adding to

- 26 Article Courts and Judicial Proceedings
- 27 Section 5–527
- 28 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 29 (2013 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)
- 30 BY adding to
- 31 Article Criminal Procedure
- 32 Section 5–103
- 33 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 34 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)
- 35 BY adding to
- 36 Article State Finance and Procurement
- 37 Section 7–239
- 38 <u>Annotated Code of Maryland</u>
- 39 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)
- 40 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
- 41 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

- 1 **5–527.**
- 2 (A) AN OFFICIAL OF STATE GOVERNMENT OR A LOCAL GOVERNMENT IS
- 3 IMMUNE FROM CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LIABILITY FOR REFUSING TO PROVIDE
- 4 INFORMATION TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR ANOTHER STATE THAT WILL BE
- 5 USED FOR THE CREATION OR MAINTENANCE OF A REGISTRY FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 6 DISCRIMINATING AGAINST INDIVIDUALS ON THE BASIS OF RELIGION, RACE,
- 7 GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, IMMIGRATION STATUS, OR NATIONAL OR ETHNIC
- 8 ORIGIN.
- 9 (B) THE STATE MAY INDEMNIFY AN OFFICIAL OF STATE GOVERNMENT OR A
- 10 LOCAL GOVERNMENT FOR ANY COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH OR ANY JUDGMENT IN AN
- 11 ACTION OR SUIT FILED BASED ON THE OFFICIAL'S REFUSAL TO PROVIDE
- 12 INFORMATION TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR ANOTHER STATE THAT WILL BE
- 13 USED FOR THE CREATION OR MAINTENANCE OF A REGISTRY FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 14 DISCRIMINATING AGAINST INDIVIDUALS ON THE BASIS OF RELIGION, RACE,
- 15 GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, IMMIGRATION STATUS, OR NATIONAL OR ETHNIC
- 16 ORIGIN.
- 17 Article Criminal Procedure
- 18 **5–103.**
- 19 (A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS
- 20 INDICATED.
- 21 (2) (1) "CIVIL IMMIGRATION WARRANT" MEANS A WARRANT FOR A
- 22 VIOLATION OF FEDERAL CIVIL IMMIGRATION LAW THAT WAS NOT ISSUED BY A
- 23 United States District Court Judge.
- 24 "CIVIL IMMIGRATION WARRANT" INCLUDES A CIVIL
- 25 IMMIGRATION WARRANT ENTERED IN THE NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION
- 26 **Center Database.**
- 27 (3) "FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITY" MEANS AN OFFICER.
- 28 EMPLOYEE, OR OTHER PERSON PAID BY OR ACTING AS AN AGENT OF UNITED STATES
- 29 IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT OR THE UNITED STATES
- 30 DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY WHO IS CHARGED WITH IMMIGRATION
- 31 ENFORCEMENT.
- 32 (4) (I) "GOVERNMENT AGENT" MEANS AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF
- 33 THE STATE, A COUNTY, OR A MUNICIPALITY.
- 34 (II) "Government agent" includes:

1	1. AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A POLICE OR SECURITY			
2	DEPARTMENT OF A PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, A PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL, OR A			
3	PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION;			
4	2. A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, AS DEFINED IN §			
5	3-101 OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY ARTICLE;			
6	3. AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A STATE OR LOCAL LAW			
7	ENFORCEMENT AGENCY;			
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8	4. AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A COURT;			
9	5. AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A STATE CORRECTIONAL			
10	FACILITY OR LOCAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, AS DEFINED IN § 1–101 OF THE			
11	CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ARTICLE: AND			
12	6. AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF			
13	JUVENILE SERVICES.			
14	(2) "ADMINISTRATIVE IMMIGRATION DETAINER" MEANS A DETAINER			
15	FOR A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL IMMIGRATION LAW THAT WAS NOT ISSUED BY A			
16	FEDERAL JUDGE OR FEDERAL MAGISTRATE JUDGE.			
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17	(5) (3) "IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT" INCLUDES ALL EFFORTS			
18	TO INVESTIGATE, ENFORCE, OR ASSIST IN THE INVESTIGATION OR ENFORCEMENT			
19	OF FEDERAL CIVIL IMMIGRATION LAW, INCLUDING VIOLATIONS OF TITLE 8, §§ 1253,			
20	1324(c), 1325, and 1326 of the United States Code.			
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21	(6) (4) "JUDICIAL WARRANT" MEANS A WARRANT BASED ON PROBABLE CAUSE AND ISSUED BY A FEDERAL JUDGE OR A FEDERAL MAGISTRATE			
22 23	JUDGE THAT AUTHORIZES FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES TO TAKE INTO			
$\frac{23}{24}$	CUSTODY THE PERSON WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THE WARRANT.			
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25	(7) "Local law enforcement agency" includes a local			
26	CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.			
27	(5) "LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENT" INCLUDES:			
28	(I) A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, AS DEFINED IN § 3–101 OF			
29	THE PUBLIC SAFETY ARTICLE;			
30	(II) A CHIEF OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AS DEFINED IN			
31	§ 3–101 OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY ARTICLE; AND			

1	(III) AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A STATE OR LOCAL LAW
2	ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.
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3	(6) "LOCAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITY" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN
4	§ 1–101 OF THE CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ARTICLE.
5	(7) "STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN
6	§ 1–101 OF THE CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ARTICLE.
7	(8) (I) "STATE OR LOCAL CORRECTIONAL AGENT OR EMPLOYEE"
8	MEANS AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY OR LOCAL
9	CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.
10	(II) "STATE OR LOCAL CORRECTIONAL AGENT OR EMPLOYEE"
	DOES NOT INCLUDE A SHERIFF OR AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE OF A STATE
11 12	CORRECTIONAL FACILITY OR A LOCAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IF THE SHERIFF,
13	AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE IS AUTHORIZED, TRAINED, AND SWORN TO PERFORM THE
14	FUNCTIONS OF AN IMMIGRATION OFFICER PURSUANT TO A MEMORANDUM OF
1 5	AGREEMENT WITH THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL.
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16	(B) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO RESTORE MAINTAIN
17	COMMUNITY TRUST IN MARYLAND LAW ENFORCEMENT AND GOVERNMENT
18	GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT BY CLARIFYING THE
19	PARAMETERS OF STATE AND LOCAL PARTICIPATION IN FEDERAL IMMIGRATION
20	ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS.
21	(C) A GOVERNMENT AGENT MAY NOT, FOR IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT
22	PURPOSES:
23	(1) USE PUBLIC FUNDS, FACILITIES, PROPERTY, EQUIPMENT, OR
24	PERSONNEL TO STOP, INVESTIGATE, DETAIN, DETECT, REPORT, OR ARREST A
25	PERSON;
26	(2) RESPOND TO A HOLD, NOTIFICATION, OR TRANSFER REQUEST
27	FROM FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES;
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(4) MAKE AN ARREST BASED ON A CIVIL IMMIGRATION WARRANT;

INFORMATION ABOUT A PERSON, INCLUDING INFORMATION ABOUT THE PERSON'S

DATE OF RELEASE FROM INCARCERATION, HOME ADDRESS, OR WORK ADDRESS;

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- 1 (5) GIVE FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES ACCESS TO 2 INTERVIEW A PERSON IN AGENCY OR DEPARTMENT CUSTODY;
- 3 (6) PERFORM THE FUNCTIONS OF AN IMMIGRATION OFFICER,
 4 WHETHER PURSUANT TO TITLE 8, § 1357(G) OF THE UNITED STATES CODE OR ANY
 5 OTHER FORMAL OR INFORMAL LAW, REGULATION, OR POLICY: OR
- 6 (7) SUPPORT OR ASSIST IN CIVIL IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT
 7 OPERATIONS, INCLUDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TRAFFIC PERIMETERS.
- 8 (D) A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL MAY NOT STOP, ARREST, SEARCH, OR
 9 DETAIN AN INDIVIDUAL TO:
- 10 (1) INVESTIGATE A SUSPECTED IMMIGRATION VIOLATION; OR
- 11 (2) INQUIRE ABOUT IMMIGRATION OR CITIZENSHIP STATUS OR PLACE
 12 OF BIRTH OF AN ARRESTEE OR VICTIM OF CRIME.
- 13 (E) A GOVERNMENT AGENT MAY NOT:
- 14 (1) USE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS, FACILITIES, PROPERTY,
 15 EQUIPMENT, OR PERSONNEL TO INVESTIGATE, ENFORCE, OR ASSIST IN THE
 16 INVESTIGATION OR ENFORCEMENT OF ANY FEDERAL PROGRAM REQUIRING
 17 REGISTRATION OF INDIVIDUALS ON THE BASIS OF RACE, GENDER, SEXUAL
 18 ORIENTATION, RELIGION, OR NATIONAL OR ETHNIC ORIGIN; OR
- 19 (2) MAKE A GOVERNMENTAL DATABASE AVAILABLE TO ANY PERSON
 20 OR ENTITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT OR INVESTIGATION
 21 OR ENFORCEMENT OF ANY FEDERAL PROGRAM REQUIRING REGISTRATION OF
 22 INDIVIDUALS ON THE BASIS OF RACE, GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, RELIGION,
 23 IMMIGRATION STATUS. OR NATIONAL OR ETHNIC ORIGIN.
- 24 **(F)** A STATE OR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY MAY NOT PLACE A LAW
 25 ENFORCEMENT OFFICER UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A FEDERAL AGENCY OR
 26 EMPLOY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER DEPUTIZED AS A SPECIAL FEDERAL
 27 OFFICER OR SPECIAL FEDERAL DEPUTY EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH A LAW
 28 ENFORCEMENT OFFICER REMAINS SUBJECT TO MARYLAND LAW GOVERNING THE
 29 OFFICER'S CONDUCT AND THE POLICIES OF THE EMPLOYING AGENCY.
- 30 (G) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, A GOVERNMENT AGENT MAY NOT,
 31 AT THE REQUEST OF FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES, WITHOUT A JUDICIAL
 32 WARRANT:

1	(1) TRANSFER AN INDIVIDUAL TO FEDERAL IMMIGRATION
2	AUTHORITIES FOR PURPOSES OF IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT;
3	(2) DETAIN AN INDIVIDUAL; OR
4 5	(3) NOTIFY FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES OF RELEASE INFORMATION.
6	(H) (1) THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE
7 8	APPROPRIATE STAKEHOLDERS, SHALL DEVELOP AND ADOPT MODEL POLICIES TO ENSURE THAT ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, AND COURTHOUSES REMAIN SAFE
9	AND ACCESSIBLE TO ALL MARYLAND RESIDENTS, REGARDLESS OF IMMIGRATION
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11 12	(2) ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, AND COURTHOUSES SHALL ESTABLISH AND PUBLISH POLICIES THAT LIMIT IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT ON
13	THEIR PREMISES TO THE FULLEST EXTENT POSSIBLE CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL
14	AND STATE LAW.
15	(C) A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENT MAY NOT, DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF
16	REGULAR POLICE FUNCTIONS:
17	(1) INQUIRE ABOUT AN INDIVIDUAL'S IMMIGRATION STATUS,
18	CITIZENSHIP STATUS, OR PLACE OF BIRTH DURING A STOP, SEARCH, OR ARREST; OR
19	(2) TRANSFER AN INDIVIDUAL TO FEDERAL IMMIGRATION
20	AUTHORITIES UNLESS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW.
21	(D) WITHOUT A JUDICIAL WARRANT, A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENT MAY
22	NOT, PURSUANT TO A REQUEST BY FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES MADE
23	SOLELY FOR IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES:
0.4	(1) TRANSFER AN INDIVIDUAL TO FEDERAL IMMIGRATION
$\frac{24}{25}$	(1) TRANSFER AN INDIVIDUAL TO FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES FOR PURPOSES OF IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT;
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26	(2) DETAIN AN INDIVIDUAL SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF
27	IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT; OR
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28 29	(3) NOTIFY FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S LOCATION OR ADDRESS.
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(E) WITHOUT A JUDICIAL WARRANT, A STATE OR LOCAL CORRECTIONAL

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AGENT OR EMPLOYEE MAY NOT:

- 1 (1) DETAIN AN INDIVIDUAL PURSUANT TO AN ADMINISTRATIVE
 2 IMMIGRATION DETAINER; OR
 3 (2) DETAIN AN INDIVIDUAL BEYOND THE PERIOD PRESCRIBED BY
 4 APPLICABLE STATE OR LOCAL LAW.
- 5 (H) (F) NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL PREVENT A GOVERNMENT
 6 AGENT LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENT OR A STATE OR LOCAL CORRECTIONAL AGENT
 7 OR EMPLOYEE FROM:

8 (1) RESPONDING TO:

- 9 (I) A REQUEST FROM FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES 10 FOR INFORMATION ABOUT A SPECIFIC PERSON'S CRIMINAL RECORD WHEN 11 ALLOWED BY STATE LAW; OR
- 12 (II) A LAWFUL SUBPOENA; OR
- 13 (2) SENDING TO, OR RECEIVING FROM, ANY LOCAL, STATE, OR
 14 FEDERAL AGENCY INFORMATION REGARDING THE CITIZENSHIP OR IMMIGRATION
 15 STATUS, LAWFUL OR UNLAWFUL, OF AN INDIVIDUAL PURSUANT TO §§ 1373 AND 1644
 16 OF TITLE 8 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW.
- 17 Article State Finance and Procurement
- 18 **7–239.**
- 19 (A) AN OFFICER OR UNIT OF STATE GOVERNMENT MAY NOT SPEND MONEY
 20 FROM AN APPROPRIATION, AND A PERSON THAT RECEIVES STATE FUNDS MAY NOT
 21 USE THE STATE FUNDS, TO:
- 22 (1) KNOWINGLY CREATE OR MAINTAIN A REGISTRY FOR THE
 23 PURPOSE OF DISCRIMINATING AGAINST INDIVIDUALS ON THE BASIS OF RELIGION,
 24 RACE, GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, IMMIGRATION STATUS, OR NATIONAL OR
 25 ETHNIC ORIGIN; OR
- 26 (2) KNOWINGLY PROVIDE INFORMATION TO THE FEDERAL
 27 GOVERNMENT OR ANOTHER STATE FOR THE CREATION OR MAINTENANCE OF A
 28 REGISTRY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCRIMINATING AGAINST INDIVIDUALS ON THE
 29 BASIS OF RELIGION, RACE, GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, IMMIGRATION STATUS,
 30 OR NATIONAL OR ETHNIC ORIGIN.
- 31 (B) (1) THE STATE MAY NOT REIMBURSE ANY EXPENDITURE TO THE 32 EXTENT THAT THE EXPENDITURE VIOLATES SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION.

- 1 (2) THE STATE IS NOT OBLIGATED TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO PAY
 2 AN EXPENDITURE THAT VIOLATES SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION.
- 3 (C) EACH EMPLOYEE OR OFFICER OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT WHO MAKES
 4 AN EXPENDITURE OR RECEIVES STATE FUNDS THAT VIOLATE SUBSECTION (A) OF
 5 THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION, INCLUDING TERMINATION,
 6 UNDER THE APPLICABLE DISCIPLINARY AND GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES IN TITLES
 7 11 AND 12 OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE.
 - SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Attorney General, in consultation with the appropriate stakeholders, shall develop guidelines to assist public schools, hospitals, and courthouses to draft policies that limit civil immigration enforcement activities on their premises in order to ensure these facilities remain safe and accessible to all, regardless of immigration status.

- SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That public schools, hospitals, and courthouses may establish and publish policies that limit immigration enforcement on their premises to the fullest extent possible consistent with federal and State law based on the guidelines developed by the Attorney General.
- SECTION $\frac{2}{4}$. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, in order to ensure that eligible individuals are not deterred from seeking services or engaging with State agencies, all State agencies shall review their confidentiality policies and identify any changes necessary to ensure that information collected from individuals is limited to that which is necessary to perform agency duties, does not include inquiries into immigration status unless required by federal law or necessary to make a determination of eligibility, and is not used or disclosed for any other purpose. Any necessary changes to those policies shall be made as expeditiously as possible, consistent with agency or department procedures.
- SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That any agreement in existence on the effective date of this Act that makes any governmental database available in conflict with § 5–103 of the Criminal Procedure Article as enacted by Section 1 of this Act shall be null and void as of the effective date of this Act.
- SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That memoranda of agreement between the Office of the United States Attorney General and local jurisdictions seeking to support or assist in civil immigration enforcement operations pursuant to federal immigration law or any other formal or informal law, regulation, or policy, shall be initiated and periodically evaluated through a process that is transparent, subject to public comment, and provides reasonable advance notice to the public.
- SECTION 4. 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason in a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or any other

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application of this Act that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application and for this purpose the provisions of this Act are declared severable.		
SECTI October 1, 20	ON 5. <u>7.</u> AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect.	
Approved:		
	Governor.	

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.