

HOUSE BILL 1404

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Economic Development – Baltimore Symphony Orchestra – Funding and**
3 **Workgroup**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Governor to appropriate a certain amount of money to
5 the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in certain fiscal years; establishing the
6 Workgroup on the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra; providing for the composition,
7 chair, and staffing of the Workgroup; prohibiting a member of the Workgroup from
8 receiving certain compensation, but authorizing the reimbursement of certain
9 expenses; requiring the Workgroup to examine and make recommendations
10 regarding certain matters; requiring the Workgroup to report its findings and
11 recommendations in a consolidated financial report to certain committees in the
12 General Assembly on or before a certain date; providing for the termination of this
13 Act; and generally relating to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra.

14 BY adding to
15 Article – Economic Development
16 Section 4–513
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (2018 Replacement Volume)

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

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.



1 (i) cost containment strategies; and

2 (ii) audience development, including:

3 1. methods to diversify access to the Baltimore Symphony
4 Orchestra; and

5 2. methods to increase statewide public participation in the
6 Baltimore Symphony Orchestra.

7 (g) On or before October 1, 2019, the Workgroup shall report its recommendations
8 in a consolidated financial report, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government
9 Article, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House of Delegates
10 Appropriations Committee of the General Assembly.

11 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
12 1, 2019. Section 1 of this Act shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of
13 June 30, 2021, Section 1 of this Act, with no further action required by the General
14 Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect. Section 2 of this Act shall
15 remain effective for a period of 1 year and, at the end of June 30, 2020, Section 2 of this
16 Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no
17 further force and effect.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.