

March 26, 2019

To the Members of the General Assembly

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On March 26, 2019, the Honorable Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr., Governor; the Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr., President of the Senate; and the Honorable Michael E. Busch, Speaker of the House of Delegates, signed the following pieces of legislation, which you passed:

HB 336 **Delegate Feldmark, et al**

Chapter 1

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EMERGENCY BILL – CONTINGENT

SB 391

Chapter 2

Senator Feldman, et al

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Sincerely,

Victoria L. Gruber
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