



SYNOPSIS

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HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 13, 2019

HB 1289 Delegate Grammer

PUBLIC SAFETY – CRIME OF VIOLENCE – WITNESS INTIMIDATION

Altering a certain definition of “crime of violence” to include felony witness intimidation.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

PS, § 5-101(c) - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

HB 1290 Delegates D. Barnes and Barve

INCOME TAX – AFFORDABLE HOUSING CREDIT

Allowing certain owners of qualified developments of low income housing to claim a credit against the State income tax; prohibiting a credit in a taxable year from exceeding the owner’s State income tax for the taxable year; prohibiting credits claimed by owners of a pass-through entity from exceeding a certain amount; allowing unused credits to be claimed in subsequent taxable years under certain circumstances; requiring the Secretary of Housing and Community Development to approve certain applications; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, § 10-749 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

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HB 1291 Delegate D. Barnes

TOBACCO TAX – PREMIUM CIGARS – EXEMPTION

Exempting certain premium cigars that are to be sold in the State from the tobacco tax.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, §§ 12-104 and 12-105(b) - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

HB 1292 Delegates D. Barnes and Buckel

TAX SALES – REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES

Providing that a holder of a tax sale certificate may be reimbursed a certain amount for attorney's fees if an action to foreclose the right of redemption on certain property has not been filed, and if an action to foreclose the right of redemption on certain property has been filed; providing that a holder of a tax sale certificate may be reimbursed for certain costs for verifying if a defendant is in the armed services; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TP, § 14-843 - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations