



# SYNOPSIS

House Bills and Joint Resolutions  
2019 Maryland General Assembly Session

**February 25, 2019**  
**Schedule 28**

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## **HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 25, 2019**

### **HB 1389 Delegate Branch**

BALTIMORE CITY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – ADULT ENTERTAINMENT ESTABLISHMENTS

Prohibiting the Board of License Commissioners for Baltimore City or a certain license holder in the City from allowing an individual under the age of 21 years to enter an establishment of a license holder that offers adult entertainment, unless the individual is an employee, an agent, or a contractor of the establishment.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 12-2102 - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

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**HB 1390 Delegate Smith, et al****BALTIMORE CITY – PROPERTY TAX CREDIT – LOW-INCOME EMPLOYEES**

Authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City to grant, by law, a certain property tax credit against the property tax imposed on dwellings in Baltimore City that are owned by low-income employees of Baltimore City who are employed on a full-time basis, are among the 25% lowest-paid city employees, and who own a dwelling in Baltimore City; providing that the credit may not exceed the lesser of \$2,500 per dwelling or the amount of property tax imposed on the dwelling; applying the Act to taxable years beginning after June 30, 2019; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 9-304(k) - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1391 Delegate Lierman, et al****MARYLAND ARTS AND CULTURE CAPITAL GRANT PROGRAM**

Establishing the Maryland Arts and Culture Capital Grant Program; requiring the Maryland State Arts Council to hire at least one full-time coordinator for the Program; requiring the Governor, for fiscal years 2021 through 2026, to include at least \$12,000,000 for the Program in the budget; establishing certain criteria by which certain organizations may apply for a grant from the Program; providing that in any fiscal year an eligible organization may not receive a grant for a single project that exceeds \$1,000,000; etc.

This bill requires a mandated appropriation in the annual budget bill.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

EC, § 4-513 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1392 Delegate Ciliberti, et al****PUBLIC HEALTH – CO-PRESCRIBING, PRESCRIBING AND DISPENSING OPIOID OVERDOSE REVERSAL DRUGS**

Authorizing a prescribing licensed health care provider to co-prescribe or prescribe or a pharmacist to dispense an opioid overdose reversal drug under certain circumstances; prohibiting a prescribing licensed health care provider and pharmacist from taking certain actions until the prescribing licensed health care provider or pharmacist completes certain training; authorizing the Secretary of Health to post certain guidelines for the prescribing of opioid overdose reversal drugs on the Department's website; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

HG, §§ 13-3501 and 13-3502 - amended and § 13-3503 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1393 Delegate Conaway****PUBLIC HEALTH – BLOOD DONATION – NOTICE OF ANALYSIS AND SALE OR TRANSFER OF INFORMATION**

Requiring, before obtaining donated blood that may be analyzed by a certain entity, the individual obtaining the blood to inform the potential donor that the entity on whose behalf the blood is obtained may analyze the donated blood and sell or transfer the information collected from an analysis of the donated blood to a third party.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HG, § 20-2001 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1394 Harford County Delegation****HARFORD COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – SEASONAL CLOSING**

Altering from 6 months to 9 months the number of months that the Board of License Commissioners for Harford County may authorize a seasonally operated licensed premises to be closed under certain circumstances.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 22-2202 - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1395 Delegate Reilly**PROPERTY TAX – UNIFORM PLAN OF ASSESSMENTS –  
RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY

Requiring the uniform plan to assess property adopted by the State Department of Assessments and Taxation to include, for the purpose of assessing residential real property, the American National Standards Institute's standard for calculating square footage.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TP, § 2-209 - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1396 Delegate Metzgar, et al**

## PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION – DISABLED VETERANS

Expanding eligibility for a property tax exemption for the dwelling house of a disabled veteran to include veterans with a service connected disability of at least 80%; and applying the Act to taxable years beginning after June 30, 2019.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 7-208(a) - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1397 Delegate Hornberger**STATE LOTTERY – INSTANT TICKET LOTTERY MACHINES –  
EASTERN SHORE VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS

Expanding the authority of the Director of the State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency to license veterans' organizations to operate instant ticket lottery machines in Caroline County, Cecil County, Dorchester County, Kent County, Queen Anne's County, Somerset County, Talbot County, Wicomico County, and Worcester County.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

SG, § 9-112 - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

**HB 1398 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – JUVENILE LAW – DIVERSION  
PROGRAM PG 307–19

Authorizing the State's Attorney for Prince George's County to refer a child to  
a diversion program under certain circumstances.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CJ, § 3-8A-10(c)(4) - amended

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations