



SYNOPSIS

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HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 28, 2019

HB 1403 Delegates Kittleman and Miller

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST – PROPERTIES SUBJECT TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION EASEMENTS – WAIVER PROCESS

Requiring the Maryland Historical Trust to develop a process for the waiver, in certain circumstances, of certain requirements, processes and regulations applicable to a property subject to a historic preservation easement held by the Trust; and specifying the conditions under which exceptional circumstances exist to include property that is subject to repeated flooding, an urgent need exists to stabilize historic structures, excessive costs of compliance, extraordinary infrastructure costs, and potential for abandonment of the property.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

SF, § 5A-321 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

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HB 1404 Delegate McIntosh, et al**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – BALTIMORE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA – FUNDING AND WORKGROUP**

Requiring the Governor to appropriate \$1,600,000 to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in each of fiscal years 2020 and 2021; establishing the Workgroup on the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra; requiring the Workgroup to examine structural efficiencies of the Orchestra, including health care costs and facility usage; requiring the Workgroup to make recommendations regarding cost containment and audience development in a consolidated financial report to certain committees of the General Assembly by October 1, 2019; etc.

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

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

EC, § 4-513 - added

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HB 1405 Chair, Howard County Delegation**HOWARD COUNTY – TRANSFER TAX – COLLECTION BY DIRECTOR OF FINANCE HO. CO. 30-19**

Requiring the Director of Finance of Howard County, instead of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Howard County, to collect the county tax on the recordation of an instrument of writing that conveys title to real property; and repealing a requirement that the Clerk of the Circuit Court pay to the Director of Finance the proceeds of the transfer tax in a certain manner.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

PLL of Howard Co, Art. 14, §§ 20.301 and 20.304 - amended

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HB 1406 Chair, Howard County Delegation

HOWARD COUNTY – DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION – AUTHORITY
TO ESTABLISH PROGRAMS HO. CO. 29–19

Authorizing the Howard County Department of Correction to establish community service and pretrial services programs; authorizing the Director of the Howard County Department of Correction to adopt regulations relating to the operation of certain programs; authorizing a certain judge or court to allow a certain individual to participate in a certain program under certain circumstances; authorizing a certain inmate to leave the Howard County Detention Center under certain circumstances; etc.

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CS, § 11-715 - amended

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