



# SYNOPSIS

House Bills and Joint Resolutions  
2019 Maryland General Assembly Session

**January 23, 2019**  
**Schedule 8**

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**PLEASE NOTE:** February 8 – Bill introduction deadline.  
All bills must be given to the Chief Clerk by 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, February 7.  
As required by House Rule 32(b), bills introduced after this date will be referred to the House Rules and Executive Nominations Committee.

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## **HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED JANUARY 23, 2019**

**HB 148**    **The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al**

**SAFE SCHOOLS MARYLAND ACT OF 2019**

Establishing the Safe Schools Maryland Program in the Maryland Center for School Safety; requiring the School Safety Subcabinet to develop program guidance on or before September 1, 2019; requiring a local school system that elects to participate in the program to follow the program guidance; requiring the Center to perform certain tasks related to the program; providing that certain documents and information submitted to the Center are not subject to the Maryland Public Information Act; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-1513 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

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**HB 149 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****RETIREMENT TAX FAIRNESS ACT OF 2019**

Including income from certain retirement plans within a certain subtraction modification allowed under the Maryland income tax for certain individuals who are at least certain ages, are disabled or whose spouse is disabled, or are retired correctional officers, law enforcement officers, or fire, rescue, or emergency services personnel; limiting the cumulative or total amount of certain subtractions to the maximum annual benefit under the Social Security Act less certain payments; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, § 10-209 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 150 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR MARYLANDERS ACT OF 2019**

Extending certain benefits under the More Jobs for Marylanders Program to businesses that locate or expand in opportunity zones in the State; extending to 2030 the termination date of the Program; altering the maximum aggregate credit amounts of initial tax credit certificates the Department of Commerce may issue from the More Jobs for Marylanders Tax Credit Reserve Fund in a fiscal year; altering the calculation the Governor shall use for appropriating funds to the More Jobs for Marylanders Tax Credit Reserve Fund; etc.

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

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

CA, § 1-203.1(b), EC, §§ 6-801 & 6-803 thru 6-805, TG, §§ 10-741(a)(9) & (10) & (b) thru (e), and 11-411(d) and TP, § 9-110(a)(5) - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 151 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al**

## CLEAN CARS ACT OF 2019

Expanding the vehicle excise tax credit for the purchase of certain plug-in electric drive vehicles to include the purchase of certain fuel cell electric vehicles; providing that the credit for a fuel cell electric vehicle may not exceed \$3,000; changing the name of the Maryland Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Council to the Maryland Zero Emission Vehicle Infrastructure Council; altering the membership and required activities of the Council; requiring the Council to issue an interim report on or before December 1, 2019; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TR, § 11-125.1 - added and § 13-815 - amended and Various Chapters of the Acts of Various Years, as amended - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 152 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al**

## PATHWAYS IN TECHNOLOGY EARLY COLLEGE HIGH (P-TECH) EXPANSION ACT OF 2019

Repealing the limit on the number of Pathways in Technology Early College High (P-TECH) Planning Grants that may be awarded to a local school system in each year; removing the prohibition against new P-TECH Planning Grants being awarded to establish a new P-TECH school until after the 2016-2017 cohort of P-TECH students completes the 6-year pathway sequence; and repealing certain intent language regarding a prohibition against additional P-TECH schools.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-1803 - amended and Chapter 591 of the Acts of 2017, § 2 - repealed

Assigned to: Ways and Means and Appropriations

**HB 153 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****BUILDING OPPORTUNITY ACT OF 2019**

Authorizing the Maryland Stadium Authority to issue bonds to finance the construction of or improvements to certain public school facilities subject to certain limitations; establishing the Building Opportunity Financing Fund and the Building Opportunity Facilities Fund; beginning in fiscal year 2021, requiring \$125,000,000 in the Education Trust Fund to be deposited into the Building Opportunity Financing Fund each fiscal year that bonds are outstanding and unpaid; etc.

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

**VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES**

EC and SF, Various Sections - amended and added and SG, § 9-1A-30 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 154 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****INCOME TAX SUBTRACTION MODIFICATION – QUALIFIED RETIRED PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEE (HOMETOWN HEROES ACT OF 2019)**

Altering the subtraction modification under the Maryland income tax under certain circumstances for a certain amount of retirement income attributable to a resident's employment as a correctional officer, a law enforcement officer, or a fire, rescue, or emergency services worker.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, § 10-209 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 155 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH – CAPITAL AND GRANT PROGRAMS – STATE GRANTS**

Increasing the caps on the percentages of certain costs for the construction, acquisition, renovation, and equipping of community mental health facilities, addiction facilities, and developmental disabilities facilities for which State grants can be provided under the Community Mental Health, Addiction, and Developmental Disabilities Capital Program; increasing the caps on the percentages of certain costs for certain projects that may be covered by State grants under the Federally Qualified Health Centers Grant Program; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HG, §§ 24-604 and 24-1304 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 156 The Speaker (By Request – Administration)****PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITY FUND**

Establishing the Public Charter School Facility Fund as a special, nonlapsing fund; specifying that the Fund shall be used to provide funding to public charter schools in the State to acquire, plan, develop, finance, construct, improve, repair, and maintain public charter school facilities; requiring the State Department of Education to administer the Fund; requiring the Governor to appropriate a certain amount to the Fund each year; requiring the Department to establish certain procedures for schools to request funds; etc.

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

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 5-324 - added and SF, § 6-226(a)(2)(ii)112. and 113. - amended and § 6-226(a)(2)(ii)114. - added

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 157 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****STATE GOVERNMENT – REGULATIONS IMPACTING SMALL BUSINESSES**

Requiring the Department of Budget and Management to provide training to certain Executive Branch agencies on the preparation of certain economic impact analyses; requiring a certain unit to establish a certain electronic registry and post a proposed regulation with a certain compliance guide on the unit's website; requiring a State unit to consider certain conditions and actions in assessing a civil penalty against a small business for certain violations; etc.

VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES

SG, § 2-1505.2(k) - added and §§ 10-101, 10-110, 10-224(b), and 10-1001 - amended and EC, §§ 3-501 through 3-508 - repealed

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

**HB 158 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al**

## STATE PERSONNEL RECRUITMENT MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2019

Altering the recruitment and appointment process for certain positions in the skilled service or professional service in the State Personnel Management System under certain circumstances; requiring an appointing authority initiating a certain recruitment and appointment to notify the Department of Budget and Management of the recruitment; repealing certain time frames for the preparation of certain job announcements by certain appointing authorities for a certain position in State government; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

SP, §§ 7-201, 7-204, 7-205, and 7-207 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 159 The Speaker (By Request)**

## JUDGESHIPS – CIRCUIT COURT AND DISTRICT COURT

Increasing from 5 to 6 the number of resident judges of the circuit court in Washington County; and increasing the number of resident judges of the District Court in certain districts.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

CJ, §§ 1-503 and 1-603(b) - amended

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 160 Delegate Ebersole, et al**

## PROPERTY TAX CREDITS – REAL PROPERTY USED FOR ROBOTICS PROGRAMS

Authorizing the governing body of a county or municipal corporation to grant, by law, a certain property tax credit against the county or municipal corporation property tax imposed on real property used for the purposes of a public school robotics program or nonprofit robotics program in the State; authorizing the governing body of a county or municipal corporation to provide, by law, for certain matters relating to the tax credit; and applying the Act to taxable years beginning after June 30, 2019.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 9-263 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 161 Delegate Mosby, et al****BALTIMORE CITY – TAX SALES OF REAL PROPERTY – WATER LIENS (WATER TAXPAYER PROTECTION ACT OF 2019)**

Repealing the authority of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City to sell certain properties to enforce a lien for unpaid charges for water and sewer service if the properties are also being sold to enforce another lien; repealing the authority of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City to sell certain places of worship to enforce a lien for unpaid charges for water and sewer service; applying the Act prospectively; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TP, § 14-849.1 and Chapter 714 of the Acts of 2018, § 3 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 162 Chair, Economic Matters Committee (By Request – Departmental – Maryland Insurance Administration)****MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICIES – MANDATED DEDUCTIBLE LEVELS – LIMITATION**

Limiting the requirement that insurers that issue or deliver medical professional liability insurance policies in the State offer, in addition to the basic policy, additional policies with certain deductibles to insurers that issue or deliver a policy with an annual premium of \$5,000 or more.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

IN, § 19-114 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 163 Chair, Economic Matters Committee (By Request – Departmental – Maryland Energy Administration)****ELECTRICITY – COMBINED HEAT AND POWER SYSTEMS – METERING**

Requiring the Public Service Commission to establish a Combined Heat and Power System Program; allowing all rate classes to participate in the program; requiring an electric company to use a certain tariff structure to provide credits to owner-operators under the program; requiring a combined heat and power system to satisfy certain requirements and meet certain criteria; authorizing the export of excess generation from a system in a certain manner; requiring the Commission to adopt certain regulations by October 1, 2020; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

PU, § 7-306.3 - added

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 164 Chair, Economic Matters Committee (By Request – Departmental – Labor, Licensing and Regulation)**

**BUSINESS OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS – LICENSING AND REGULATION OF ELECTRICIANS**

Altering the purpose, composition, powers, and duties of the State Board of Master Electricians; changing the name of the State Board of Master Electricians to the Board of Electricians; authorizing the Board to issue an apprentice license and a journeyman license under certain circumstances; authorizing the Board to adopt a State electrical code; requiring a county to enforce the State electrical code or a certain local electrical code; etc.

**VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES**

BOP, Various Sections - added, amended, and repealed, PS, § 12-603 - amended, and BR, §§ 2-106.9 and 2-108 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 165 Chair, Economic Matters Committee (By Request – Departmental – Assessments and Taxation)**

**CORPORATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS – FEES FOR PROCESSING ARTICLES OF DISSOLUTION, CERTIFICATES OF CANCELLATION, AND OTHER DOCUMENTS – REPEAL**

Repealing certain fees charged by the State Department of Assessments and Taxation for processing articles of dissolution, certificates of cancellation, and certain other documents filed by certain business entities with the Department.

**EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019**

CA, § 1-203(b)(1), (2), and (4) - amended and § 1-203(b)(14) - added

Assigned to: Economic Matters



**HB 166 Delegate Fennell, et al****LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT – PAYMENT OF WAGES – MINIMUM WAGE AND ENFORCEMENT (FIGHT FOR FIFTEEN)**

Specifying the State minimum wage rate that is in effect for certain time periods; increasing, except under certain circumstances, the State minimum wage rate based on the annual growth in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the Washington–Arlington–Alexandria, DC–VA–MD–WV metropolitan area; specifying the tip credit amount that is in effect for certain time periods; prohibiting an employer, beginning July 1, 2027, from including the tip credit amount as part of the wage of certain employees; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

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

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

HG, § 7-307 and LE, §§ 3-103, 3-403, 3-413, 3-419, 3-423, 3-428, and 3-508 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 167 Chair, Judiciary Committee (By Request – Departmental – Human Services)****JUVENILE CAUSES – SAFE HAVEN NEWBORNS**

Requiring a local department of social services that files a petition alleging that a safe haven newborn is a child in need of assistance to publish in a newspaper or other publication or website a notice containing certain information regarding the newborn to include a notice to the mother regarding her voluntary relinquishment; requiring the juvenile court to exclude the general public from a hearing which involves discussion of any information pertaining to the confidential identity of a mother of a safe haven newborn; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CJ, FL, and HU, Various Sections - amended and added

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 168 Chair, Judiciary Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Police)****PUBLIC SAFETY – REPORTING OF HATE CRIMES**

Altering certain requirements for the reporting, collection, and analysis of information relating to hate crimes to require the Department of State Police to collect and analyze information about incidents apparently directed against an individual or a group because of color, religious beliefs, gender, disability, national origin, or homelessness; requiring information about incidents directed at certain individuals or groups be provided by local law enforcement agencies and the State Fire Marshal to the Department; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

PS, § 2-307 - amended

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 169 Chair, Judiciary Committee (By Request – Departmental – Juvenile Services)****STATE ADVISORY BOARD FOR JUVENILE SERVICES – DUTIES AND ACCESS TO RECORDS**

Expanding the duties of the State Advisory Board for Juvenile Services to include the examination and review of fatalities involving children under the supervision of the Department of Juvenile Services for the purpose of advising the Secretary of Juvenile Services; establishing that a prohibition against the disclosure of a court record pertaining to a certain child does not prohibit access to and confidential use of the court record by the State Advisory Board for Juvenile Services for certain purposes; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HU, § 9-215 and CJ, § 3-8A-27(b) - amended

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 170** Chair, Economic Matters Committee (By Request – Departmental – Maryland Energy Administration)

JANE E. LAWTON CONSERVATION LOAN PROGRAM – ELIGIBLE BORROWERS

Altering the definition of “borrower” for the purpose of provisions of law governing the Jane E. Lawton Conservation Loan Program to include an eligible State agency; altering the purpose of the Jane E. Lawton Conservation Loan Program to include providing certain financial assistance to State agencies for certain projects and to include providing certain financial assistance for projects that reduce greenhouse gas emissions; applying the Act prospectively; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

SF, § 6-226(a)(2)(ii)5. - repealed and SG, §§ 9-20A-01, 9-20A-03, 9-20A-05, and 9-20A-06 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 171** Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Board of Elections)

ELECTIONS – CAMPAIGN FINANCE ENTITIES – TERMINATION AND FILING OF FINAL CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT

Altering the circumstances under which a certain provision of law requiring a campaign finance entity to terminate and file a final campaign finance report applies; and altering the time period within which a certain campaign finance entity is required to terminate and file a final campaign finance report.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

EL, § 13-310 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 172**    **Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Board of Elections)**

ELECTION LAW – VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINES AND SECURITY OF VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Altering the period during which voter registration is closed before an election; requiring the State Board of Elections to adopt regulations that describe the best practices for storage and security of voter registration information received by certain persons; requiring certain persons who receive voter registration information to notify the State Administrator of Elections as soon as possible but not later than 4 days after becoming aware of a breach in the secure storage of the voter registration information; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EL, §§ 3-302 and 3-506 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 173**    **Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – Commerce)**

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – JOB CREATION TAX CREDIT – SUNSET EXTENSION

Extending, from January 1, 2020, to January 1, 2027, the termination date applicable to the job creation tax credit program.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

EC, § 6-309 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 174**    **Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Board of Elections)**

ELECTION LAW – ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUESTS – LAST FOUR DIGITS OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

Altering a certain provision of law to require absent uniformed services voters and overseas voters as defined in the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act and voters with a disability who do not have a Maryland driver's license or Maryland identification card and who use an online absentee ballot application or another Internet method to request an absentee ballot to provide the last four digits of the applicant's Social Security number, rather than the full Social Security number.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

EL, § 9-305 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 175** Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – Commerce)

MARYLAND RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDIT – SUNSET EXTENSION

Extending the termination date applicable to the Maryland Research and Development Tax Credit to June 30, 2028; and extending the applicability of the credit to taxable years beginning before January 1, 2027.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

Chapters 515 and 516 of the Acts of 2000, §§ 2 and 4, as amended - amended  
Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 176** Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Board of Elections)

ELECTION LAW – CERTIFICATES OF CANDIDACY AND NOMINATION – REVISIONS

Requiring candidates nominated by a new political party to file a certificate of candidacy no later than 5 p.m. on the first Monday in August in the year of the General election for the office, comply with certain requirements for a certificate of candidacy, and file a certificate of nomination with the appropriate board and on a certain form; requiring the presiding officers of a national party convention to file a certificate of nomination with the State Board of Elections within 5 days of the end of the national party convention; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EL, §§ 4-102(f), 5-301(g), and 5-302 - amended and § 5-301(h) - repealed  
Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 177** Chair, Ways and Means Committee (By Request – Departmental – State Board of Elections)

ELECTION LAW – JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING LOCAL BOARDS OF ELECTIONS – NOTICE

Altering a certain provision that requires a local board of elections to provide to the State Board of Elections a copy of the complaint or other pleading that initiated a judicial proceeding in which a local board is a party by removing the requirement that the copy be provided by certified mail.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EL, § 2-105 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 178 The Speaker (By Request – Administration), et al****MARYLAND STADIUM AUTHORITY – OCEAN CITY CONVENTION FACILITY – RENOVATION**

Authorizing the Maryland Stadium Authority to provide for the renovation of the Ocean City Convention facility; increasing, from \$17,340,000 to \$24,500,000, the amount the Board of Public Works may approve for the issuance of certain bonds related to the Ocean City Convention facility without receiving authorization by the General Assembly; altering certain contribution amounts, allocations of savings, and leasehold ownership allocations that must be contained in a certain lease or other written agreement with Ocean City; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

EC, §§ 10-628(c) and 10-643 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 179 Chair, Appropriations Committee (By Request – Departmental – Public Safety and Correctional Services)****CORRECTIONAL SERVICES – PATUXENT INSTITUTION – APPOINTING AUTHORITY**

Clarifying that the warden of Patuxent Institution is the appointing authority for correctional officers assigned to Patuxent Institution and staff attached to the office of the warden; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CS, § 4-204 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 180 Chair, Environment and Transportation Committee (By Request – Departmental – Transportation)****MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION – LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS – ELECTRONIC CREDENTIALS**

Authorizing the Motor Vehicle Administration to issue electronic credentials in addition to a license or an identification card to certain individuals; defining an “electronic credential” as an electronic representation of a license, an identification card, or a data field; establishing that a credential holder satisfies certain license display requirements; authorizing the Administration to create an electronic credential; requiring a credential holder’s consent in order for a certain person to access the verification system; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TR, §§ 11-116, 11-128, and 16-112 - amended and §§ 16-1001 through 16-1005 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 181 Delegate Cardin, et al****CRIMINAL LAW – ELECTRONIC HARASSMENT AND BULLYING  
(GRACE’S LAW 2.0)**

Altering prohibited actions relating to electronic harassment of minors; prohibiting a person from maliciously engaging in electronic communication under certain circumstances with intent to induce a minor to commit suicide; prohibiting a person from using an electronic communication to maliciously engage in a certain act or in a certain course of conduct; prohibiting a person from using a computer or a computer network to engage in certain activity with the intent to intimidate, torment, or harass a minor; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CR, § 3-805 - amended

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 182 Delegate Cardin, et al****JUDGES – MANDATORY RETIREMENT AGE**

Proposing an amendment to the Maryland Constitution increasing to 73 years from 70 years the mandatory retirement age for judges under certain circumstances; proposing an addition to the Maryland Constitution to provide for the application of certain amendments to the Maryland Constitution; submitting the amendment to the qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection; etc.

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT – CONTINGENT**

Maryland Constitution, Art. IV, §§ 3, 3A, 5A, and 41D - amended and § 18B - repealed and added

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 183 Prince George’s County Delegation****PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY – PROPERTY TAX CREDIT FOR  
SECURITY CAMERA SYSTEMS PG 413–19**

Authorizing the governing body of Prince George’s County to grant, by law, a certain property tax credit against the county property tax imposed on residential or commercial real property equipped with security camera systems for a certain purpose; specifying the amount of the property tax credit, subject to certain limitations; authorizing the governing body of Prince George’s County to provide, by law, for certain matters relating to the tax credit; and applying the Act to taxable years beginning after June 30, 2019.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 9-318(h) - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 184 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – LIMIT ON CLASS SIZE PG 503–19

Requiring the Prince George's County Board of Education to limit to 30 or fewer the number of students assigned to a classroom teacher of students in kindergarten through grade 3 in the public schools in the county.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 3-1009 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 185 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – CLASS BLX LICENSE FOR MOVIE THEATERS PG 302–19

Authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Prince George's County to issue a Class BLX license for a movie theater under certain circumstances; authorizing the holder of the license to sell beer, wine, and liquor for on-premises consumption; allowing the holder of the license to serve only customers who have proof of admission to the movie theater; providing that the hours of sale for the license during which a movie theater may sell beer, wine, and liquor are from noon to 12:30 a.m. the following day; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, §§ 26-1606, 26-1616, and 26-2004(f) - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 186 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT PERMIT PG 301–19

Repealing exceptions to the entertainment permit in Prince George's County; establishing the family entertainment permit; establishing the requirements that an alcoholic beverages license holder in Prince George's County whose business provides family entertainment must meet to obtain a family entertainment permit; requiring the Board of License Commissioners to determine the days and hours the permit is to be in effect, under certain circumstances; establishing an annual permit fee of \$250; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 26-1103(a) - amended and § 26-1103.1 - added

Assigned to: Economic Matters



**HB 187 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – SPEED MONITORING SYSTEMS – MARYLAND ROUTE 210 (INDIAN HEAD HIGHWAY) PG 305–19

Repealing certain provisions of law that limit the number and location of speed monitoring systems that may be placed and used on Maryland Route 210 (Indian Head Highway) in Prince George's County; authorizing the placement and use of speed monitoring systems at any intersection on Maryland Route 210 in Prince George's County; and making certain conforming changes.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

CJ, § 7-302(e)(4), CP, § 11-819(a)(2), and TR, § 21-809(b)(1)(vi) through (viii) - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 188 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – PROPERTY TAX CREDITS – GROCERY STORES PG 409–19

Authorizing the governing body of Prince George's County to grant, by law, a property tax credit against the county property tax imposed on personal property of a grocery store that completes certain construction and is located in a certain healthy food priority area; requiring the governing body of Prince George's County to designate what constitutes a healthy food priority area for purposes of the tax credit; providing that the tax credit may not exceed the amount of property tax imposed on the grocery store in that year; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 9-318(h) - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 189 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – CLASS BLX LICENSES PG 304–19

Increasing from 10 to 15 the number of Class BLX licenses that a person may hold in Prince George's County; and requiring the Board of License Commissioners for Prince George's County to take certain actions before issuing a certain Class BLX license to a license holder that already holds certain other Class BLX licenses.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 26-1616 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 190 Delegate Lafferty****ENVIRONMENT – FAILING ON–SITE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM – DEFINITION**

Defining the term “failing on–site sewage disposal system” for certain provisions of law to mean the condition of an on–site sewage disposal system or a component of an on–site sewage disposal system that threatens or negatively impacts public health due to certain conditions; and requiring each county to adopt by local law or ordinance the definition of “failing on–site sewage disposal system”.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EN, §§ 9-101(d-1) and 9-1113 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 191 Delegate Sydnor, et al****HOMEOWNER’S INSURANCE – DISCRIMINATION IN UNDERWRITING AND RATING – STATUS AS SURVIVING SPOUSE**

Prohibiting an insurer, with respect to homeowner’s insurance, from increasing the premium for an insured who becomes a surviving spouse based solely on the insured’s change in marital status.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

IN, § 27-501(e-2)(2) - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 192 Prince George’s County Delegation****PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION – MEMBERS’ EXPENSE FORMS – PUBLICATION ON WEBSITE PG 502–19**

Requiring the Prince George’s County public school system to publish prominently on its website links to the expense forms filed by members of the Prince George’s County Board of Education for reimbursement by the school system; and requiring certain expense forms filed by members of the county board to be designated as certain public records available to any applicant immediately on request and included on a certain list posted on the school system’s website.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

ED, § 4-404 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 193 Delegate Barron****LIFE INSURANCE – LIFE OF A MINOR – STATEMENT ON DISCLOSURE**

Altering a certain requirement that a life insurer include, in a certain manner, a certain statement on an application or an endorsement for a policy of life insurance on the life of a minor to allow the life insurer to include the statement on a certain disclosure; and applying the Act to policies of life insurance on the life of a minor issued or delivered in the State on or after January 1, 2020.

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2020

IN, § 16-119(a) - amended

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

**HB 194 Prince George's County Delegation****PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS – OFFICE OF ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE – ESTABLISHMENT PG 508–19**

Establishing the Office of Accountability and Compliance in the Prince George's County public school system to provide independent evaluation and recommendations to improve the effectiveness, productivity, or efficiency of local school system programs, policies, practices, and operations; requiring the County Council to appoint the Accountability and Compliance Officer; requiring the Officer to coordinate with the public school system to develop a certain work plan and establish certain goals and priorities; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 4-404 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 195 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION – FINANCIAL LITERACY CURRICULUM – GRADUATION REQUIREMENT PG 504–19

Requiring the Prince George's County Board of Education to develop curriculum content for a certain course in financial literacy to be offered to all students in high school; requiring the county board to implement the financial literacy curriculum content in every high school in Prince George's County beginning in the 2019–2020 school year; and requiring students to complete a course in financial literacy in order to graduate from high school in Prince George's County.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 3-1008 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 196 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS – DAILY PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (STUDENT HEALTH AND FITNESS ACT) PG 509–19

Requiring that a public school student in a Prince George's County elementary school be provided a certain daily program of physical activity each week totaling 150 minutes; requiring the program of physical activity for a certain category of student to be consistent with the student's Individualized Education Program, if applicable; requiring a Prince George's County public elementary school to designate a physical activity leadership team to plan and coordinate opportunities for certain activities; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-409.1 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 197 Wicomico County Delegation****WICOMICO COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – BED AND BREAKFAST LICENSE**

Establishing a Class B–BB (bed and breakfast) beer and wine license in Wicomico County; providing the qualifications that must be met for issuance of the license; authorizing the license holder to sell alcoholic beverages to guests of the establishment for on–premises consumption Monday through Sunday, from 7 a.m. to midnight; authorizing the license holder to sell alcoholic beverages to guests of certain catered events under certain circumstances; providing an annual license fee of \$300; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 32-1001 - added

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 198 Wicomico County Delegation****WICOMICO COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – BASKET OF CHEER PERMIT**

Establishing a basket of cheer permit in Wicomico County; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners to grant the permit to certain nonprofit organizations; providing that the permit authorizes the permit holder to provide as a prize at a benefit performance a basket of cheer, consisting of certain alcoholic beverages; specifying that the alcoholic beverages contained in a basket of cheer shall be for off–premises consumption; and setting a fee of \$30 or \$45 for the permit for holders of certain Class C Licenses.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

AB, § 32-1313 - added

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 199 Wicomico County Delegation****WICOMICO COUNTY – DEER HUNTING – SUNDAYS**

Authorizing a person in Wicomico County to hunt deer on private property on the first Sunday of bow hunting season in November and each Sunday in the deer firearms season.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

NR, § 10-410(a)(3) - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 200 Wicomico County Delegation****WICOMICO COUNTY – SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTIONS – AIRCRAFT PARTS AND EQUIPMENT**

Providing an exemption from the sales and use tax for the sale of materials, parts, or equipment, in Wicomico County, used to repair, maintain, or upgrade aircraft or the avionics systems of aircraft if the materials, parts, or equipment are installed on the aircraft; requiring the Comptroller to report to the General Assembly by December 31 each year on the amount of sales and use tax revenue lost from the exemption and any change to the number of aviation technicians employed in the State as a result of the exemption; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, § 11-235 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 201 Delegate Korman, et al****MARYLAND TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION – STATE EMPLOYEES SUBJECT TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING – FREE RIDERSHIP (TRANSIT BENEFIT FOR STATE EMPLOYEES)**

Requiring the Maryland Transit Administration to provide certain ridership services to State employees who are subject to collective bargaining on certain transit vehicles; prohibiting the Administration from seeking certain fees or reimbursement; authorizing the Administration to adopt certain regulations; and requiring the Maryland Department of Transportation and the Department of Budget and Management to report to certain committees of the General Assembly by January 1, 2020.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TR, § 7-711 - added

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 202**    **Montgomery County Delegation**

DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT – SEPTICSMART WEEK IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY MC 17–19

Requiring the Department of the Environment to establish the third week in September as SepticSmart Week in Montgomery County; and requiring the Department to use certain educational materials and other resources to promote community awareness regarding the proper use and maintenance of on-site sewage disposal systems and certain impacts of proper design, installation, operation, and maintenance of on-site sewage disposal systems.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EN, § 9-1113 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 203**    **Montgomery County Delegation**

MONTGOMERY COUNTY – MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS OUTSIDE URBAN DISTRICTS MC 24–19

Decreasing the lowest maximum speed limit that Montgomery County may establish for a highway outside an urban district under certain circumstances from 25 miles an hour to 15 miles an hour.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TR, § 21-803(a) - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 204**    **Delegate Luedtke, et al**

INCOME TAX – SUBTRACTION MODIFICATION – EMPLOYEE-OWNED BUSINESSES

Allowing a subtraction modification under the State income tax for income from a qualified transfer of stock or membership interest of a Maryland corporation or limited liability company to certain employee ownership entities; limiting the amount of the subtraction if the transfer is to a direct share ownership plan; applying the Act to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2018; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

TG, § 10-207(hh) - added and § 10-307(g) - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 205 Delegate Healey, et al****HIGHER EDUCATION – ACADEMIC FORGIVENESS POLICY – ESTABLISHED**

Requiring institutions of higher education to develop and implement an academic forgiveness policy on or before August 1, 2019, that applies to applicants who earned unsatisfactory or failing grades at a prior institution of higher education under certain circumstances; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 15-126 - added

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 206 Delegate K. Young, et al****PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS – CLASSWORK AND ASSESSMENT INVOLVING LIVE AND DEAD ANIMALS – STUDENT CHOICE POLICY**

Authorizing a student in a public school or nonpublic school to choose not to participate in or observe, in whole or in part, classwork or an assessment that includes certain actions conducted on a live, dead, or severed part of an animal; authorizing a student to choose not to participate in or observe the classwork or assessment on the day that it is assigned; requiring a certain student to complete the required classwork or assessment by a certain alternative educational method that meets certain requirements; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-125 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 207 Delegate Cullison****CONDOMINIUMS AND HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS – AMENDMENT OF GOVERNING DOCUMENTS**

Altering the circumstances under which unit owners may vote to amend the bylaws of a condominium; and altering the circumstances under which lot owners may vote to amend certain governing documents of a homeowners association.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

RP, §§ 11-104(e) and 11B-116 - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation



**HB 208 Delegate Reilly, et al****CAMPAIGN FINANCE – DEATH OF ELECTED OFFICIAL – TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO SLATE ACCOUNT**

Authorizing the authorized candidate campaign committee of an elected official who dies in office to transfer a cumulative amount of up to \$24,000 from the remaining balance in the account of the authorized candidate campaign committee to one or more slates of which the deceased official was a member at the time of the official's death; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EL, § 13-247 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 209 Delegate Healey, et al****PRIVATELY OWNED TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS – CONSTRUCTION AND AUTHORIZATION TO USE STATE-OWNED RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND PROPERTY – REQUIREMENTS**

Providing that a project involving the construction of one or more tunnels to be used by a common carrier may not be constructed and the State may not authorize the use of or access to a State-owned right-of-way or State property unless certain environmental studies are made; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TR, § 9-101 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 210 Delegate Reilly, et al****CAMPAIGN FINANCE – CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE OF DECEASED ELECTED OFFICIAL – TRANSFER TO APPOINTED SPOUSE**

Requiring that, if an elected official dies in office and the deceased official's spouse is appointed in accordance with applicable law to succeed the deceased official in the office, the deceased official's authorized candidate campaign committee becomes the authorized candidate campaign committee of the appointed spouse; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

EL, § 13-247 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 211 Delegates Barron and W. Fisher****CRIMINAL LAW – CRIMES INVOLVING COMPUTERS – RANSOMWARE**

Prohibiting a person from committing a certain prohibited act with the intent to interrupt or impair the functioning of a health care facility; prohibiting a person from knowingly possessing certain ransomware with the intent to use that ransomware for a certain purpose; altering and establishing certain penalties; authorizing a victim of a certain offense to bring a civil action for damages against a certain person; providing for the recovery of attorney's fees and court costs in an action brought under the Act; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CR, § 7-302 - amended

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 212 Delegate Malone****ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY – TOLL ROADS, HIGHWAYS, AND BRIDGES AND CHESAPEAKE BAY CROSSING – CONSENT REQUIREMENT**

Expanding to Anne Arundel County a prohibition on State agencies constructing a toll road, toll highway, or toll bridge within the county without the consent of a majority of the affected counties; prohibiting a State agency, without the express consent of Anne Arundel County, from constructing a crossing of the Chesapeake Bay that affects Anne Arundel County; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TR, § 4-407 - amended and § 4-408 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 213 Delegate Stein, et al****COWNOSE RAY FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN AND MORATORIUM ON CONTESTS**

Extending the date, to on or before December 31, 2020, by which the Department of Natural Resources is required to prepare a certain fishery management plan for the cownose ray species, subject to available funding; and extending the termination date to July 1, 2021, for the prohibition on a person sponsoring, conducting, or participating in a certain cownose ray fishing contest in State waters.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

Chapters 398 and 399 of the Acts of 2017, §§ 2 and 3 - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 214 Delegate Pena–Melnyk, et al****VICTIMS AND WITNESSES – U NONIMMIGRANT STATUS – CERTIFICATION OF VICTIM HELPFULNESS**

Authorizing, for purposes of filing a petition for U Nonimmigrant Status, a victim of qualifying criminal activity or the victim's family member to request a certifying official to certify victim helpfulness on a Form I-918, Supplement B certification if the victim has been helpful in the detection, investigation, or prosecution of the qualifying criminal activity; providing the certifying entity must certify or decline certification of the form within 90 days of receiving a request under certain circumstances; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CP, §§ 11-930 and 11-931 - added

Assigned to: Judiciary

**HB 215 Delegate Jackson****PUBLIC INFORMATION ACT – 9–1–1 COMMUNICATIONS – DENIAL OF PART OF A PUBLIC RECORD**

Requiring a custodian of records to deny inspection of the part of a 9–1–1 communications record that depicts certain information, subject to a certain exception; authorizing a custodian to redact certain information if a failure to do so would result in a constructive denial of the entire public record; requiring a custodian to allow inspection by the person in interest; providing for the application of the Act; providing that the Act may not be construed to affect the discovery or evidentiary rights of certain parties; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

GP, § 4-342 - added

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

**HB 216 Delegate Sydnor****SPEED MONITORING SYSTEMS – SCHOOL ZONE IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES – LIMITATION**

Limiting the operation of a speed monitoring system in a school zone that extends beyond a single county to the county in which the school is located.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

TR, § 21-809(b)(1)(xi) - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 217 Delegate Sydnor****BALTIMORE COUNTY – NUISANCE ACTIONS – COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION STANDING**

Altering the definitions of “community association” and “local code violation” for purposes of certain provisions of law authorizing community associations to seek judicial relief for nuisance abatement in Baltimore County; repealing a provision of law requiring a certain court to determine in what amount and under what conditions a bond must be filed by a community association in a certain nuisance action; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

RP, § 14-125 - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 218 Delegate Krebs, et al****PUBLIC HEALTH – DISPOSITION OF REMAINS – FORFEITURE OR WAIVER OF RIGHT OF DISPOSITION**

Requiring a person to forfeit the right of final disposition of the body of a decedent and that the right pass to the next qualifying person under certain circumstances; providing that a certain person’s right of disposition may be restored under certain circumstances; authorizing a person to waive the right of final disposition and requiring that the right pass to the next qualifying person under certain circumstances; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HG, § 5-509(g) and HO, § 7-410(g) - added

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

**HB 219 Prince George’s County Delegation****PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY – NEW HOMES – CORRECTION OF DRAINAGE DEFECTS PG 408–19**

Requiring the governing body of Prince George’s County to establish a program for the correction of drainage defects in new homes in the county; requiring the program to include certain claims and evaluation procedures; requiring the county to arrange to complete the correction and seek reimbursement from the homebuilder under certain circumstances; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

LG, § 1-1313 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 220 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – CONDOMINIUMS AND HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS – RESERVE STUDIES – ANNUAL BUDGETS PG 402–19

Requiring the governing body of certain condominiums located in Prince George's County to have a certain reserve study conducted not more than 90 days and not less than 30 calendar days before the meeting of the Council of unit owners and at certain intervals; requiring the reserve study of a condominium located in Prince George's County to meet certain criteria; requiring the governing body of certain homeowners associations located in Prince George's County to have a certain reserve study conducted; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

RP, §§ 11-109.4 and 11B-112.3 - added and § 11B-112.2 - amended

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 221 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – UTILITY SERVICES – MASTER METERS TASK FORCE – EXTENSION PG 407–19

Extending the Task Force on the Use of Master Meters for Utility Services in Prince George's County by 1 year; and extending the deadline for the Task Force to report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Prince George's County Delegation to the General Assembly by 1 year to December 31, 2019.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

Chapter 128 of the Acts of 2018, §§ 2(g) and 4 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

**HB 222 Delegate Holmes**

REAL PROPERTY – RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS – ESCROW AGENTS

Requiring an escrow agent to enter into a written agreement with the purchaser and the seller of certain residential real property before the escrow agent may hold trust money in escrow for the residential real estate transaction; requiring a written agreement an escrow agent enters into with the purchaser and the seller to contain certain information; and applying the Act.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

RP, § 10-802 - added

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 223 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – PROPERTY TAX CREDITS –  
TEACHERS PG 410–19

Authorizing the governing body of Prince George's County to grant, by law, a property tax credit against the county property tax imposed on dwellings that are owned by certain eligible teachers; providing for the maximum amount of the credit; requiring the Prince George's County government to submit a certain report concerning the credit to certain persons on or before a certain date; applying the Act to all taxable years beginning after June 30, 2019; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

TP, § 9-318(h) - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 224 Delegate Barron, et al**

STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT – CORRECTIONAL UNITS –  
DETENTION AGREEMENTS AND CONTRACTING FOR  
PRIVATIZATION OF FACILITIES

Prohibiting a correctional unit, with certain exceptions, from contracting with a private contractor or vendor for the ownership, operation, or management of State and local correctional and detention facilities; prohibiting a correctional unit from being reimbursed in an amount greater than a certain per diem rate under a certain detention agreement for the detention of certain persons; defining certain terms; making technical changes; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

CS, §§ 1-101(d-1), 1-202, and 1-203 - added and § 2-401 - amended

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations and Judiciary

**HB 225 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – SCHOOL FACILITIES SURCHARGE – EXEMPTIONS – TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT – WORKFORCE HOUSING PG 415–19

Altering the exemptions from the Prince George's County school facilities surcharge to include mixed retirement development or elderly housing, single-family attached dwelling units located within a Transforming Neighborhood Initiative area, and certain multi-family housing located within one-quarter mile of a Metro Station or a Purple Line station; and repealing certain exemptions related to certain single-family dwelling units and certain multi-family housing.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

PLL of Prince George's Co, Art. 17, § 10-192.01(b)(2) - amended and § 10-192.01(b)(3) through (6) - repealed

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

**HB 226 Delegate Lopez, et al**

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM – MINIMUM BENEFIT FOR DISABLED INDIVIDUALS – STATE SUPPLEMENT

Requiring the State to provide a certain supplement to a household that includes a disabled individual who receives a federally funded benefit of less than \$30 per month under the food stamp program; and defining "disabled individual" as an individual who receives State or federal benefits for which eligibility is based on certain criteria.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HU, § 5-501 - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

**HB 227 Prince George's County Delegation**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY – ETHICS – LIMITATIONS ON APPLICANT CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS PG 404–19

Repealing a prohibition on an applicant or applicant's agent making a payment to the County Executive of Prince George's County or a slate that includes the County Executive during the pendency of certain applications.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

GP, § 5-835(a) - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

**HB 228** Delegate Cullison**STATE BOARD OF NURSING – CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS CHECKS – CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANTS AND CERTIFIED MEDICATION TECHNICIANS**

Requiring certain applicants for certification as a medication technician by the State Board of Nursing to submit to a certain criminal history records check; requiring the Criminal Justice Information System Central Repository of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to provide a revised criminal history record to the Board if the criminal history record information is reported to the Central Repository after the date of the initial criminal history records check; applying the Act prospectively: etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HO, §§ 8-303, 8-6A-05(c), 8-6A-07(h), and 8-6A-08(k)(1) - amended

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

**HOUSE BILLS REASSIGNED JANUARY 21, 2019****HB 84** Delegate Charkoudian, et al**MARYLAND FARMS AND FAMILIES FUND – PURPOSE, USE, FUNDING, AND GRANT QUALIFICATIONS – ALTERATIONS**

Altering the purpose and use of the Maryland Farms and Families Fund; requiring the Governor to include in the annual budget bill a \$500,000 appropriation to the Fund each fiscal year, beginning in fiscal year 2021; and altering certain qualifications for certain nonprofit organizations to receive a certain grant from the Fund.

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

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2019

AG, §§ 10-2003 and 10-2004 - amended

Reassigned to: Appropriations



**HB 91 Delegates Carr and Korman****PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS – PRESOLICITATION REPORTS – ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT REQUIREMENT**

Prohibiting a reporting agency for certain proposed public-private partnerships from submitting a certain presolicitation report before a draft environmental impact statement that complies with the National Environmental Policy Act is available; requiring the Department of Transportation and the Maryland Transportation Authority to withdraw a certain presolicitation report; prohibiting the resubmission of the report until a certain draft environmental impact statement is adopted and a certain alternative is selected; etc.

**EMERGENCY BILL**

SF, § 10A-201(a) - amended

Reassigned to: Environment and Transportation and Appropriations