



SYNOPSIS

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
2019 Maryland General Assembly Session

January 18, 2019
Schedule 7

PLEASE NOTE: January 22 – Bill request deadline.
February 1 – Bill introduction deadline.
All bills should be given to the Secretary of the Senate's office by 5:00 P.M. on Monday, February 4.
As required by Senate Rule 32(b), bills introduced after this date will be referred to the Senate Rules Committee.

SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED January 18, 2019

SB 124 Senator Simonaire

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY AND HARFORD COUNTY – COURT DOG AND CHILD WITNESS PILOT PROGRAM – EXTENSION

Altering the name of the Courthouse Dog and Child Witness Pilot Program in the circuit courts for Anne Arundel County and Harford County to be the Court Dog and Child Witness Pilot Program; extending to September 30, 2021, the date by which the Administrative Office of the Courts is required to provide a report on the operation and results of the pilot program to the General Assembly; and extending to September 30, 2021, the termination date of the pilot program.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

Chapter 467 of the Acts of 2016, §§ 1 and 2, as amended - amended

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

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SB 125 The President (By Request – Administration)**BUDGET BILL (FISCAL YEAR 2020)**

Making the proposed appropriations contained in the State Budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, in accordance with Article III, Section 52 of the Maryland Constitution, etc.

Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

SB 126 The President (By Request – Administration)**CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – MARYLAND CONSOLIDATED CAPITAL BOND LOAN OF 2019, AND THE MARYLAND CONSOLIDATED CAPITAL BOND LOANS OF 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, AND 2018**

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt in the amount of One Billion, Eighty–Nine Million, One Hundred Ninety–Four Thousand Dollars (\$1,089,194,000), the proceeds to be used for certain necessary building, construction, demolition, planning, renovation, conversion, replacement, and capital equipment purchases of the State, for acquiring certain real estate in connection therewith, and for grants to certain subdivisions and other organizations for certain development and improvement purposes; etc.

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

VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES

Various Chapters of the Acts of Various Years, Various Sections - amended and repealed

Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

SB 127 Senator Simonaire**EDUCATION – PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE – HOMELESS CHILDREN**

Repealing a provision of law requiring a county superintendent of schools to allow a child awaiting foster care placement not subject to certain educational stability provisions of the federal McKinney–Vento Homeless Assistance Act to attend school in the county even if the child is not currently domiciled in that county; and updating certain provisions of law to include references to the educational stability provisions of the Every Student Succeeds Act.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-101(b) - amended

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

SB 128 **Senators Pinsky and King**

COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION – SCHOOL YEAR – START AND END DATES

Repealing a provision of law that authorized a county board of education to extend the length of the school year for up to 5 school days beyond June 15 without approval from the State Board of Education; and requiring each county board to set the start date and end date of the school year for the public schools in the county each year.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

ED, § 7-103 - amended

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

SB 129 **Senator Lee**

CRIMINAL LAW – CONTINUING COURSE OF CONDUCT WITH A CHILD – UNIT OF PROSECUTION

Establishing that acts constituting a continuing course of unlawful sexual conduct with a victim under the age of 14 years that occur in separate periods of 90 days or more are separate violations.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CR, § 3-315 - amended

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

SB 130 **Senator Lee**

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE – CHARGE BY CITATION – VIOLATION OF CONDITION OF RELEASE

Altering the designation of a certain crime that a police officer may not charge by citation.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

CP, § 4-101(c) - amended

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

SB 131 **Senator King****COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION – LENGTH OF SCHOOL YEAR – ADJUSTMENTS**

Clarifying that the authorization for a county board of education to extend the length of the school year for up to 5 school days beyond June 15 without approval from the State Board of Education or any other entity is not subject to additional conditions.

EMERGENCY BILL

ED, § 7-103 - amended

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

SB 132 **Cecil County Senators****HORSE RACING AT FAIR HILL – UNION HOSPITAL ALLOCATION – REPEAL**

Repealing a requirement that the Cecil County Breeders' Fair, Inc., or its successor allocate the profits earned from horse racing at the Fair Hill Natural Resources Management Area to the Union Hospital of Cecil County; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

BR, § 11-702(e) - repealed

Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

SB 133 **Senator Gallion, et al****FARM AREA MOTOR VEHICLES – REGISTRATION AND AUTHORIZED USE**

Repealing the termination date for certain provisions of law applicable to the registration and authorized use of farm area motor vehicles, including a provision increasing from 10 miles to 25 miles the radius from a farm within which a person may operate on a highway a motor vehicle registered as a farm area motor vehicle; and requiring the owner of a farm area motor vehicle to submit a certain application and documentation for registration of the vehicle.

EMERGENCY BILL

Chapter 146 of the Acts of 2014, § 2 - amended

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

SB 134 **Senator Nathan–Pulliam, et al****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; 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: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs