



SYNOPSIS

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SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED February 7, 2020

SB 1000 The President (By Request – Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education), et al

BLUEPRINT FOR MARYLAND'S FUTURE – IMPLEMENTATION

Repealing, altering, and adding certain provisions of law to implement The Blueprint for Maryland's Future, which is intended to transform Maryland's early childhood, primary, and secondary education system to the levels of high-performing systems around the world; requiring the State and each county to distribute to county boards of education certain amounts of education aid under certain programs in certain fiscal years; etc.

Preliminary analysis: local government mandate

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

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

ED, Various Sections - repealed, amended, and added, TP, § 2-218.1 - added, and Chapter 771 of the Acts of 2019, § 13 - repealed

Assigned to: Senate Rules

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SB 1001 Senators Rosapepe and Serafini**21ST-CENTURY ECONOMY SALES TAX ACT**

Requiring the Comptroller to distribute the sales and use tax revenue on the sale or use of certain digital products to the Education Trust Fund; defining “digital product” as one that is obtained electronically by the buyer and delivered by certain means through the use of technology having electrical, digital, magnetic, wireless, optical, electromagnetic, or similar capabilities; applying the sales and use tax to a sale or use of certain digital products; providing that the sales and use tax does not apply to a certain service; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

TG, §§ 2-1302.1, 11-101, 11-102(a), and 11-217(b) - amended and § 11-221(d) and (e) - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1002 Senator Waldstreicher**CORRECTIONS – RESTRICTIVE HOUSING – SERIOUS MENTAL ILLNESS – ASSESSMENTS (RESTRICTIVE HOUSING REFORM ACT)**

Prohibiting the placement of an inmate with a certain serious mental illness in certain restrictive housing with certain exceptions; prohibiting, under certain circumstances, the placement of a certain inmate in restrictive housing for more than 15 days; requiring a certain inmate to be provided with certain daily assessments; requiring the managing official of a correctional facility to require certain steps be taken before and during an inmate’s placement in restricting housing; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

CS, § 9-614.2 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1003 Senator Carter, et al**ELECTION LAW – ELIGIBLE DETAINEES – INFORMATION ON VOTING RIGHTS**

Requiring the State Board of Elections to adopt regulations establishing a program to inform certain eligible detainees in correctional facilities of upcoming elections and how the eligible detainees may exercise the right to vote; requiring that the regulations provide for the dissemination of certain information and applications and certain transmission of certain applications and ballots between correctional facilities and the local boards of elections; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

EL, § 1-303.1 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1004 Senators Edwards and Serafini**CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM – MEMBERSHIP**

Altering the membership of the Correctional Officers' Retirement System to include certain individuals serving as a case management specialist I, II, or III, or a case management specialist supervisor in the Department of Juvenile Services; providing for the calculation of a certain benefit from the Correctional Officers' Retirement System for individuals serving in certain positions on or before June 30, 2020; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SP, §§ 25-201(a)(10) and (11) and 25-401 - amended and § 25-201(a)(12) - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1005 Senator Feldman**COMMERCIAL LAW – INTERNET PRIVACY AND NET NEUTRALITY**

Specifying the circumstances under which a broadband Internet access service provider may handle certain customer personal information in a certain manner; establishing a mechanism through which a broadband Internet access service provider may obtain customer consent to have certain personal information handled in a certain manner; declaring the intent of the General Assembly that if the State or a municipality provides broadband Internet access service, it may not impose use restrictions that prohibit the exercise of free speech; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

CL, §§ 14-4201 through 14-4209 and SF, § 2-901 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1006 Senator Carter, et al**CHILD SUPPORT – SUSPENSION OF PAYMENTS AND ARREARS FOR INCARCERATED OBLIGORS – MODIFICATIONS**

Altering a condition relating to an incarcerated obligor's term of imprisonment under which the obligor's child support payment is not considered past due and arrearages will not accrue if the obligor will be incarcerated for more than 180 consecutive calendar days.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

FL, § 12-104.1 - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules