911 see EMERGENCY SERVICES

ABANDONED PROPERTY
rt: personal property

ABANDONED VEHICLES
bt: motor vehicles

ABDUCTION
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: child custody
family law

ABORTION
bt: reproductive matters
rt: birth control
pregnancy

Absentee Ballots
see BALLOTS

Absentee Voting
see VOTING

ABUSE
nt: child abuse and neglect
domestic violence
erder abuse and neglect
rt: family law
victims

Accident Insurance
see HEALTH INSURANCE

ACCOUNTANTS
rt: auditors and audits

ACCUPTURISTS
bt: health occupations
rt: physicians

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES
nt: Administrative Hearings, Office of Aging, Department of Agriculture, Department of Assessments and Taxation,
Income, Department of the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention,
Department of
Budget and Management,
Department of
Children, Governor's Office for Commerce, Department of Commission on Civil Rights
Correction, Division of Crime Control and Prevention,
Governor's Office of Disabilities, Department of Education, State Board of Education, State Department of Elections, State Board of
Environmental Service, Maryland Financial Regulation, Division of General Services, Department of Geological Survey, Maryland Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority
Health, Department of
Health Benefit Exchange
Health Care Commission
Health Services Cost Review Commission
Higher Education Commission
State Highway Administration
Housing and Community Development, Department of
Human Services, Department of Information Technology, Department of
Insurance Administration
Juvenile Services, Department of Labor and Industry, Division of Labor, Department of Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, State
Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund
Military Department
Mines, Bureau of
Motor Vehicle Administration
Natural Resources, Department of Planning, Department of Police Training Commission
Public Safety and Correctional Services, Department of Public Service Commission
Public Works, Board of Stadium Authority
State Police, Department of State Roads Commission
Transportation, Department of Veterans Affairs, Department of
committees and commissions
electronic government
privatization
public corporations and instrumentalities
sunset

Administrative, Executive, and Legislative Review, Joint Committee on see AELR COMMITTEE

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS, OFFICE OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: administrative procedure act
hearings

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS
rt: courts

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT
rt: Administrative Hearings, Office of judicial review

ADMISSIONS AND AMUSEMENT TAX
bt: revenue and taxes

ADOPTION
rt: family law
foster care
parents and guardians

Adult Abuse
see ABUSE
ELDER ABUSE AND NEGLECT

ADULTERY
rt: divorce
family law

ADVANCE MEDICAL DIRECTIVES
rt: death

ADVERTISING
rt: consumer protection
labeling
signs and billboards

AELR COMMITTEE
bt: committees and commissions
rt: general assembly
rules and regulations
African American History and Culture
see ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS
HISTORICAL MATTERS

AGE
nt: age of majority
elderly persons
minors
youth

AGE OF MAJORITY
bt: age
rt: minors

AGENTS AND BROKERS
rt: insurance
health insurance
motor vehicle insurance
real estate

Aggressive Driving
see MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATION

AGING, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: elderly persons

AGRICULTURE
nt: cannabis production
rt: farmland
fertilizers
pest control

AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

AIDS
bt: diseases

Air Conditioning
see HEATING AND COOLING

Air Pollution
see POLLUTION

Air Quality Control
see ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

AIRCRAFT
rt: airports
drones
noise
transportation

AIRPORTS
rt: aircraft
transportation

Alcohol Abuse
see SUBSTANCE ABUSE

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
nt: alcoholic beverages – by subdivision
rt: alcoholic beverages distribution
alcoholic beverages licenses
alcoholic beverages manufacturing
beverage containers
drunk and drugged driving
license commissioners, boards of substance abuse

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – BY SUBDIVISION
bt: alcoholic beverages
rt: license commissioners, boards of alcoholic beverages distribution
alcoholic beverages licenses
alcoholic beverages manufacturing

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DISTRIBUTION
bt: alcoholic beverages
rt: alcoholic beverages – by subdivision
alcoholic beverages licenses
alcoholic beverages manufacturing
license commissioners, boards of
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES
bt: licenses
rt: alcoholic beverages
alcoholic beverages – by subdivision
alcoholic beverages distribution
alcoholic beverages manufacturing
license commissioners, boards of

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES MANUFACTURING
bt: alcoholic beverages
rt: alcoholic beverages – by subdivision
alcoholic beverages distribution

Alcoholism
see SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Alien
see IMMIGRANTS AND CITIZENSHIP

ALIMONY
bt: support of dependents
rt: divorce
family law

ALLEGANY COUNTY
bt: code counties
counties
rt: tri-county council

Allergies
see DISEASES

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION
nt: arbitration
mediation
rt: courts

Alternative Energy Sources
see RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES

AMBULANCES
bt: motor vehicles
rt: emergencies
emergency medical services
emergency services
rescue squads

Ambulatory Health Care Facilities
see CLINICS

AMUSEMENT PARKS AND CARNIVALS
rt: fairs

Amusement Tax
see ADMISSIONS AND AMUSEMENT TAX

Anatomical Gifts
see ORGAN DONORSHIP

ANIMALS
nt: birds
dogs
rt: hunting
trapping
taxidermists
animal shelters

ANIMAL SHELTERS
rt: animals
dogs

ANAPOLIS
bt: municipal corporations
rt: Anne Arundel County

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
counties
rt: Annapolis
Baltimore Metropolitan Council

ANNEXATION
rt: boundaries
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ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND
bt: codes
rt: laws and ordinances
    corrective legislation

Annual Leave
see LEAVE

Annual Reports
see REPORTS

ANNULMENT
rt: divorce
    family law
    marriage

ANTITRUST ENFORCEMENT
rt: corporations
    mergers and acquisitions

APARTMENTS
bt: housing
rt: condominiums
    property managers

APPEALS
rt: assessment appeal boards
    Court of Appeals
    Court of Special Appeals
    judicial review
    review boards

Appliances
see EQUIPMENT

Appointed Officials
see PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Apportionment
see REAPPORTIONMENT AND REDISTRICTING

APPRaisals
rt: assessments
    real estate

APPRENTICES
rt: job training
    work, labor and employment

APPROPRIATIONS
rt: budgets

AQUACULTURE
rt: fish and fishing

ARBITRATION
bt: alternative dispute resolution
rt: collective bargaining
    mediation
    strikes

ARCHITECTS

Architectural Barriers
see DISABILITIES

ARCHIVES
rt: libraries

ARMED FORCES
rt: veterans

ARRESTS
rt: bail
    citations
    law enforcement
    warrants

ARSON
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: fire protection

ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS
rt: ethnic affairs
    historical matters
    motion pictures
    museums
    theaters
Arts Council, Maryland
see ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

ASBESTOS
bt: hazardous and toxic substances

ASSAULT
bt: crimes and punishments

ASSESSMENT APPEAL BOARDS
bt: committees and commissions
rt: appeals
    assessments
    property tax

ASSESSMENTS
rt: appraisals
    assessment appeal boards
    development fees and taxes
    examinations
    property tax
    revenue and taxes

ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

ASSISTED LIVING
rt: continuing care
    elderly persons
    group homes
    long-term care
    nursing homes

Assisted Suicide
see DEATH

ASSOCIATIONS
rt: cooperative associations
rt: corporations
    partnerships

ATHLETIC COMMISSION, STATE
bt: committees and commissions
rt: sports and recreation

Atlantic Coastal Bays
see COASTAL BAYS

ATMs
see EQUIPMENT

ATTACHMENTS AND GARNISHMENTS
rt: debt collection

ATTORNEY GENERAL
bt: public officials

ATTORNEYS
rt: legal aid
    power of attorney
    privileged communications
    state’s attorneys

ATTORNEYS’ FEES
bt: fees

AUCTIONS

AUDIOLOGISTS AND SPEECH PATHOLOGISTS
bt: health occupations

AUDITORS AND AUDITS
rt: accountants

AUTISM SPECTRUM
bt: developmental disabilities
    mental and behavioral health
    special education

Auto Wreckers
see WRECKERS AND SCRAP PROCESSORS

Automated Teller Machines
see EQUIPMENT
Automobiles
see  MOTOR VEHICLES

Automotive Dismantler or Recycler
see  WRECKERS AND SCRAP PROCESSORS

Automotive Repair
see  MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR

AUTOPSIES
rt:  death
     medical examiners

Aviation
see  AIRCRAFT

AWARDS, MEDALS AND PRIZES
rt:  gaming
     lottery

B

Background Checks
see  CRIMINAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS

Bad Checks
see  CHECKS

BAIL
rt:  arrests
     bonds
     pretrial detention or release

BAILIFFS

BALLOTS
rt:  Elections, State Board of elections
     voting

BALTIMORE CITY

bt:  chartered counties
     municipal corporations
rt:  Baltimore Metropolitan Council

BALTIMORE COUNTY
bt:  chartered counties
     counties
rt:  Baltimore Metropolitan Council

BALTIMORE METROPOLITAN COUNCIL
bt:  committees and commissions
rt:  Anne Arundel County
     Baltimore City
     Baltimore County
     Carroll County
     Harford County
     Howard County

Baltimore Metropolitan Transit District
see  MASS TRANSIT

Baltimore Regional Council of Governments
see  BALTIMORE METROPOLITAN COUNCIL

Baltimore-Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport
see  AIRPORTS

BANKRUPTCY

BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES
bt:  financial institutions
rt:  credit unions
     electronic funds transfer
     interest
     loans
     savings and loan associations

BARBERS
rt:  cosmetologists

Base Realignment and Closure
see  ARMED FORCES
Battered Spouses
see DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Beauty Culture and Beauticians
see COSMETOLOGISTS

Bed and Breakfast Establishments
see HOTELS AND MOTELS

Beer and Malt Beverages
see ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

BEES
bt: insects
rt: pest control

Behavioral Health
see MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

BENEFICIARIES
bt: estates and trusts

BEVERAGE CONTAINERS
rt: alcoholic beverages
    recycling

BICYCLES

Billboards
see SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS

Bills
see LEGISLATION

BINGO
bt: gaming

BIOMETRICS
nt: fingerprinting

Biotechnology
see INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY

BIRDS
bt: animals

Birth Certificates
see VITAL RECORDS

BIRTH CONTROL
bt: reproductive matters
    abortion
    pregnancy

Blackmail
see EXTORTION
    HARASSMENT

BLIND PERSONS
rt: disabilities

Blood Donation
see ORGAN DONORSHIP

Blood Tests
see CHEMICAL TESTS

BLUE LAWS
rt: commerce and business

Boards
see COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

BOATS AND SHIPS
rt: marinas
    piers and docks
    pilots and docking masters
    ports
    transportation
    waterway improvement fund

Body Piercing
see TATTOOS AND BODY PIERCING

Bombs
see EXPLOSIVES
BONDS
nt:  county and Baltimore City bonds
     state bonds
rt:  bail
     public debt

BOUNDARIES
rt:  annexation

Bounty Hunters
see  LAW ENFORCEMENT

BRAC
see  ARMED FORCES

Breaking and Entering
see  BURGLARY

Breath Tests
see  CHEMICAL TESTS

Breweries
see  ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
     MANUFACTURING

BRIBERY
bt:  crimes and punishments

BRIDGES AND TUNNELS
bt:  public works

Brokers
see  AGENTS AND BROKERS

BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT, DEPARTMENT OF
bt:  administrative agencies

BUDGETS
nt:  capital budgets
rt:  appropriations
     legislation

BUILDING CODES
bt:  codes
rt:  construction
     disabilities
     electricians
     energy matters
     fire protection
     heating and cooling
     plumbing

BUILDING PERMITS
rt:  construction

Buildings
see  PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

Bullying
see  HARASSMENT

Burglar Alarms
see  SECURITY ALARMS

BURGLARY
bt:  crimes and punishments
rt:  robbery
     theft

BUSES
nt:  school buses
bt:  mass transit
     motor vehicles
rt:  Public Service Commission
     transportation

Business
see  COMMERCE AND BUSINESS
     ELECTRONIC COMMERCE

BUSINESS TRUSTS
rt:  commerce and business
C

CABLE TELEVISION
bt: television

CALVERT COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: tri-county council

CAMPAIGN FINANCING
rt: disclosure
elections
ethics
political candidates
political committees
political parties

CAMPS
rt: counselors
youth

Cancer
see DISEASES

Candidates
see POLITICAL CANDIDATES

CANNABIS
nt: cannabis distribution
cannabis production
bt: controlled dangerous substances
drugs
rt: smoking and vaping

CANNABIS DISTRIBUTION
bt: cannabis
cannabis production
drugs
pharmacists and pharmacies

CANNABIS PRODUCTION
bt: cannabis
agriculture
rt: cannabis distribution
drugs

CAPITAL BUDGETS
bt: budgets
rt: legislation
state bonds

Capital Punishment
see DEATH PENALTY

CAREGIVERS
rt: vulnerable adults

Carjacking
see HIJACKING

Carnivals
see AMUSEMENT PARKS AND CARNIVALS

CAROLINE COUNTY
bt: code counties
counties
rt: eastern shore

CARROLL COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: Baltimore Metropolitan Council

Cars
see MOTOR VEHICLES

CASINOS
bt: gaming

CATV
see CABLE TELEVISION

CECIL COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: eastern shore

Cellular Phones
see MOBILE DEVICES
CEMETERIES
rt: funerals
morticians

CENSORSHIP
rt: human rights
obscenity
pornography

CENSUS
Central Committees
see POLITICAL COMMITTEES

Certificates of Need
see HEALTH PLANNING AND COST REVIEW

CERTIFICATIONS
rt: licenses

Certified Public Accountants
see ACCOUNTANTS

Charge Accounts
see CREDIT

Charitable Organizations
see NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

CHARLES COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: tri-county council

Charter Schools
see PUBLIC SCHOOLS

CHARTERED COUNTIES
nt: Anne Arundel County
Baltimore City
Baltimore County
Harford County
Howard County
Prince George's County
Talbot County
Wicomico County

bt: counties
rt: code counties

CHARTERS
rt: corporations

Charts
see MAPS AND CHARTS

CHECKS

CHEMICAL TESTS
rt: drugs
drunk and drugged driving

CHESAPEAKE BAY
nt: Chesapeake Bay restoration
rt: conservation
dredging
environmental matters
pollution
water
waterway improvement fund
wetlands

CHESAPEAKE BAY RESTORATION
bt: Chesapeake Bay
environmental matters
rt: waterway improvement fund

CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT
bt: abuse
domestic violence
rt: discipline
family law
minors
sexual offenses
victims
CHILD CARE
rt: community facilities and services
    family law
    juvenile facilities
    minors

CHILD CUSTODY
rt: abduction
    divorce
    family law
    guardians
    paternity
    support of dependents

Child Support
see SUPPORT OF DEPENDENTS

Children
see MINORS

CHILDREN, GOVERNOR’S OFFICE FOR
bt: administrative agencies

Children in Need of Assistance
see CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT
    FOSTER CARE
    SOCIAL SERVICES

Children in Need of Supervision
see JUVENILE CAUSES

China
see INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

CHIROPRACTORS
bt: health occupations
rt: osteopaths
    physicians

Churches
see PLACES OF WORSHIP

CIGARETTES
rt: smoking and vaping
    tobacco and nicotine
    vending machines

CIRCUIT COURTS
bt: courts
rt: civil actions
    clerks of court
    court costs
    judges
    juries
    jurisdiction
    land records
    trials
    witnesses

CITATIONS
rt: arrests
    law enforcement
    penalties and sentences

Cities
see MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS
    URBAN AREAS

Citizenship
see IMMIGRANTS AND CITIZENSHIP

CIVIL ACTIONS
rt: small claims
rt: circuit courts
    Court of Appeals
    Court of Special Appeals
    courts
    damages
    district courts
    judgments
    liability
    medical malpractice
    torts
    trials

Civil Defense
see EMERGENCIES
Civil Rights
see COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS DISCRIMINATION

Civil Unions
see DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIPS AND CIVIL UNIONS

CLAIMS
rt: health insurance
insurance
motor vehicle insurance

CLAMS
bt: food
meat, poultry, seafood
rt: fish and fishing

Class Actions
see CIVIL ACTIONS

Classified Employees
see STATE EMPLOYEES

Clergy
see PLACES OF WORSHIP

CLERKS OF COURT
rt: circuit courts
courts
land records
recordation

Climate Change
see ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

CLINICS
bt: health care facilities
rt: community facilities and services
health
hospitals
state hospitals

Cloning
see GENETICS
MEDICAL RESEARCH

Closing Costs
see SETTLEMENT PROCEDURES

COAL
bt: fuel
rt: mining
Mines, Bureau of
natural resources

COASTAL BAYS
rt: conservation
environmental matters
pollution
water
wetlands

CODE COUNTIES
nt: Allegany County
Caroline County
Kent County
Queen Anne’s County
Worcester County
bt: counties
rt: chartered counties

Code of Maryland Regulations
see CODES

CODES
nt: Annotated Code of Maryland
building codes
rt: electricians
energy matters
fire protection
heating and cooling
plumbing

Coins
see STAMPS AND COINS
Collection Agencies
see DEBT COLLECTION

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING
rt: arbitration
strikes
unions
work, labor and employment

Colleges
see COMMUNITY COLLEGES
HIGHER EDUCATION
MEDICAL SCHOOLS
STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

COMMERCE AND BUSINESS
rt: electronic commerce
foreign trade
small business
rt: blue laws
business trusts
commercial property
commercial rehabilitation
community development
corporations
dealers
enterprise zones
franchises
industry and technology
limited liability companies
partnerships
public corporations and instrumentalities
retail sales
shopping centers
solicitation
trade secrets
traders
transient merchants
unfair trade practices

COMMERCE, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

Commercial Code
see UNIFORM LAWS

Commercial Paper
see BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES
CHECKS
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY
rt: commerce and business
real property

COMMERCIAL REHABILITATION
bt: urban renewal
rt: commerce and business
enterprise zones

Commissions
see COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS
bt: administrative agencies
committees and commissions
rt: discrimination
COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS
nt:  AELR Committee
     assessment appeal boards
     Athletic Commission, State
     Baltimore Metropolitan Council
     Commission on Civil Rights
     education, boards of
     Health Care Commission
     Health Services Cost Review
Commission
     Higher Education Commission
     Horse Industry Board
     Legislative Policy Committee
     license commissioners, boards of
     Maryland-National Capital Park and
Planning Commission
     Police Training Commission
     political committees
     Public Broadcasting Commission
     Public Service Commission
     Public Works, Board of
     review boards
     State Roads Commission
     tri-county council
rt:  administrative agencies
COMMUNICATIONS
nt:  telecommunications and information
     technology
     electronic communication
rt:  language
Community Associations
see  HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS
COMMUNITY COLLEGES
rt:  higher education
     state universities and colleges
     tuition
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
rt:  commerce and business
     urban renewal
COMMUNITY FACILITIES AND SERVICES
rt:  child care
     clinics
     public buildings and facilities
     social services
Community Service
see  PENALTIES AND SENTENCES
     VOLUNTEERS
COMMUTERS
rt:  mass transit
     transportation
     work, labor and employment
Compensation
see  REIMBURSEMENT RATES
     SALARIES AND COMPENSATION
Comprehensive Health Planning
see  HEALTH PLANNING AND COST
     REVIEW
COMPTROLLER
bt:  public officials
Computers
see  TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND
     INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
CONDEMNATION
rt:  public works
CONDOMINIUMS
bt:  housing
rt:  apartments
     homeowners associations
     property managers
     timesharing
Confidentiality
see  PRIVACY
Conflicts of Interest
see  ETHICS
CONGRESS, U.S.
rt: federal government
    reapportionment and redistricting

CONSERVATION
nt: soil conservation
rt: Chesapeake Bay
    coastal bays
    easements
    environmental matters
    farmland
    land preservation trusts
    natural resources
    reclamation
    recycling
    trees

CONSTITUTION, U.S.
rt: federal government
    constitutional amendments

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
rt: Constitution, U.S.
    Declaration of Rights
    referendum

CONSTRUCTION
rt: building codes
    building permits
    contractors
    mechanics’ liens
    property developers

Consumer Credit
see CREDIT

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
rt: prices

CONSUMER PROTECTION
rt: advertising
    contests
    contracts
    credit
    debt collection

home improvement
    labeling
    ombudsmen
    prices
    solicitation
    unfair trade practices
    warranties

Contested Case Hearings
see ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT

CONTESTS
rt: consumer protection

CONTINUING CARE
rt: assisted living
    elderly persons
    long-term care
    nursing homes

CONTINUING EDUCATION
bt: education
rt: job training

CONTRACTORS
rt: construction
    electricians
    heating and cooling
    home improvement
    mechanics’ liens
    plumbing

CONTRACTS
rt: consumer protection
    leases and rent
    procurement

Contributions
see GIFTS
CONTROLLED DANGEROUS
SUBSTANCES
nt: cannabis
opioids
rt: drugs
drunk and drugged driving
substance abuse

CONVENTIONS
rt: Ocean City
tourism

COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS
bt: associations

COPYRIGHT
Coroners
see MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Corporal Punishment
see DISCIPLINE

CORPORATIONS
nt: municipal corporations
rt: antitrust enforcement
associations
charters
limited liability companies
mergers and acquisitions
partnerships
public corporations and
instrumentalities
securities

Corpses
see DEATH

CORRECTION, DIVISION OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: correctional officers
Public Safety and Correctional
Services, Department of

CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS
nt: Patuxent Institution
rt: correctional officers
crimes and punishments
home detention
juvenile facilities
parole and probation
penalties and sentences
pretrial detention or release
prisoners

CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS
rt: Correction, Division of
correctional institutions

CORRECTIVE LEGISLATION
bt: legislation
rt: Annotated Code of Maryland
curative legislation

COSMETOLOGISTS
rt: barbers

Costs
see PRICES

Councils
see COMMITTEES AND
COMMISSIONS

COUNSELORS
nt: social workers
bt: health occupations
rt: camps
mental and behavioral health
psychiatrists
psychologists
teachers

Counterfeiting
see FORGERY
COUNTIES
nt: chartered counties
code counties
rt: local government mandates
tri-county council
see also names of individual counties

COUNTRY CLUBS
rt: discrimination
sports and recreation

COUNTY ADMINISTRATORS
bt: public officials
rt: county executives

COUNTY AND BALTIMORE CITY BONDS
bt: bonds
rt: public debt

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
bt: public officials
rt: county councils

COUNTY COUNCILS
rt: county commissioners

COUNTY EXECUTIVES
bt: public officials
rt: county administrators

COURT COSTS
rt: circuit courts
Court of Appeals
Court of Special Appeals
courts
district courts
fees
fines

COURT OF APPEALS
bt: courts
rt: appeals
civil actions
court costs
Court of Appeals
judges
trials
witnesses

COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS
bt: courts
rt: appeals
civil actions
court costs
Court of Appeals
judges
trials
witnesses

COURTS
nt: circuit courts
Court of Appeals
Court of Special Appeals
district courts
orphans’ court
Tax Court, Maryland
rt: Administrative Office of the Courts
alternative dispute resolution
civil actions
clerks of court
court costs
evidence
grand juries
judges
judicial review
juries
jurisdiction
juvenile causes
mediation
process serving
trials
witnesses

CRABS
bt: food
meat, poultry, seafood
rt: fish and fishing

Creationism
see RELIGION
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CREDIT
rt: consumer protection
debt collection
debt management
finance companies
loans

Credit Cards
see CREDIT

CREDIT UNIONS
bt: financial institutions
rt: banks and trust companies
loans
savings and loan associations

CREMATION
rt: death
funerals

CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION,
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF
bt: administrative agencies

CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS
nt: abduction
arson
assault
bribery
burglary
extortion
forgery
fraud
harassment
hijacking
homicide
human trafficking
manslaughter
murder
perjury
prostitution
robbery
sexual offenses
shoplifting
theft
trespass
vandalism
rt: correctional institutions
criminal background investigations
fines
gangs
indictments
juvenile causes
juvenile facilities
penalties and sentences
pleas
self defense
statutes of limitation
victims

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND
INVESTIGATIONS
bt: investigations and inquiries
rt: crimes and punishments
fingerprinting
records

CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
rt: restitution
victims

Critical Areas
see CHESAPEAKE BAY
COASTAL BAYS

Cross Burning
see DISCRIMINATION

Cruelty to Animals
see ABUSE
ANIMALS

Cults
see RELIGION

Cultural Affairs
see ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS
CURATIVE LEGISLATION
bt: legislation
rt: corrective legislation

CURFEW
rt: juvenile causes
    minors
    youth

CURRICULUM
bt: education

Cyberbullying
see HARASSMENT

CYBERSECURITY
bt: safety
rt: telecommunications and information technology
    electronic communication
    fraud

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rt: civil actions
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DEAF PERSONS
rt: disabilities
    hearing aids

DEALERS
nt: motor vehicle dealers and salesmen
rt: commerce and business

DEATH
rt: advance medical directives
    autopsies
    cremation
    homicide
    morticians
    murder
    wrongful death

DEATH PENALTY
bt: penalties and sentences

DEBT COLLECTION
rt: attachments and garnishments
    consumer protection
    credit
    debt management
    liens

DEBT MANAGEMENT
rt: credit
    debt collection

Decedents’ Estates
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DECLARATION OF RIGHTS
rt: constitutional amendments
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DEEDS
bt: land records
rt: land patents
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DELMARVA PENINSULA
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DEMOGRAPHICS
rt: data

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DENTAL HYGIENISTS
bt: health occupations
dentists

Dental Plan Organizations
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DENTISTS
bt: health occupations
physicians
dental hygienists

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revenue and taxes
rt: assessments
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DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
nt: autism spectrum
bt: disabilities
rt: special education

DIETITIANS AND NUTRITIONISTS
bt: health occupations

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DISABILITIES
nt: developmental disabilities
bt: blind persons
building codes
deaf persons

DISABILITIES, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

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Disability Retirements
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DISCIPLINE
rt:  child abuse and neglect
students

DISCLOSURE
rt:  campaign financing
ethics
financial institutions
notices
privacy
records

DISCRIMINATION
rt:  Commission on Civil Rights
country clubs
harassment
housing
human rights
minorities
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DISEASES
nt:  AIDS
rabies
rt:  genetics
health
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rt:  civil actions
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Planning Commission
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DOGS
bt: animals

DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIPS AND CIVIL UNIONS
rt: marriage
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nt: child abuse and neglect
bt: abuse
violence
rt: elder abuse and neglect
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rt: eastern shore

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DREDGING
rt: Chesapeake Bay
environmental matters
ports
rivers, streams, and lakes
waterway improvement fund
wetlands

DRONES
bt: industry and technology
rt: aircraft

DRIVER EDUCATION
bt: education
rt: drivers' licenses

DRIVERS' LICENSES
bt: licenses
rt: driver education

Driving
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Driving while Intoxicated
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Drug Abuse
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DRUGS
nt: cannabis
opioids
rt: cannabis distribution
cannabis production
chemical tests
controlled dangerous substances
drunk and drugged driving
pharmacists and pharmacies
pharmacy benefits managers
substance abuse

DRUNK AND DRUGGED DRIVING
rt: accidents
alcoholic beverages
chemical tests
controlled dangerous substances
drugs
motor vehicle operation
substance abuse
traffic regulation

DRY CLEANERS AND LAUNDRIES
Dump Trucks
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E

EASEMENTS
rt: conservation
environmental matters
historical matters
real property

EASTERN SHORE
rt: Caroline County
Cecil County
delmarva peninsula
Dorchester County
Kent County
Ocean City
Queen Anne’s County
Somerset County
Talbot County
Wicomico County
Worcester County

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EDUCATION
rt: driver education
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special education

rt: education, boards of
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job training
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mentors
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public schools

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state aid
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teachers

EDUCATION, BOARDS OF
bt: committees and commissions
rt: education

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EDUCATION, STATE BOARD OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: education

EDUCATION, STATE DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: education

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rt: family law
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contractors

ELECTROLOGISTS
bt: health occupations

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nt: electronic funds transfer
bt: commerce and business
rt: telecommunications and information technology

ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION
bt: communications
rt: telecommunications and information technology

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MOBILE DEVICES

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER
bt: electronic commerce
rt: banks and trust companies

ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT
rt: open government

ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE
nt: wiretapping
rt: video

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EMERGENCIES
rt: ambulances
emergency medical services
emergency services
rescue squads

EMERGENCY BILLS
bt: legislation

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES
rt: ambulances
emergencies
emergency services
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rt: ambulances
emergencies
emergency medical services
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Eminent Domain
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Employee Organizations
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Employment
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EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES
rt: unemployment

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ENERGY MATTERS
rt: building codes
codes
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rt: commerce and business
commercial rehabilitation
industry and technology
tax credits
urban renewal

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ENVIRONMENT, DEPARTMENT OF THE
bt: administrative agencies
rt: Environmental Service, Maryland
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ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
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      sediment control
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ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE, MARYLAND
bt:   administrative agencies
rt:   Environment, Department of the environmental matters

ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST
rt:   Environment, Department of the environmental matters

EQUIMENT
rt:   hearing aids
      motor vehicle equipment

EROSION
nt:   shore erosion
rt:   environmental matters
      sediment control
      soil conservation

ESCROW ACCOUNTS
rt:   landlord and tenant
      mortgages

ESTATE TAX
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rt:   inheritance tax

ESTATES AND TRUSTS
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      guardians
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      personal representatives
      power of attorney
      registers of wills

ETHICS
rt:   campaign financing
      disclosure
      general assembly
      political candidates
      political committees
      public officials

ETHNIC AFFAIRS
rt:   art, music and cultural affairs
      minorities

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rt:   landlord and tenant
      leases and rent
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rt: courts
    witnesses

EXAMINATIONS
rt: assessments
    school testing

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bt: revenue and taxes

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rt: income tax
    property tax
    revenue and taxes
    tax credits

EX-OFFENDERS
rt: parole and probation
    prerelease and reentry
    prisoners
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EXPLOSIVES
nt: fireworks

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rt: records

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bt: crimes and punishments
rt: bribery
    harassment
    theft

EXTRADITION
rt: interstate affairs

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FAIRS
rt: amusement parks and carnivals

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rt: abduction
    abuse
    adoption
    alimony
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rt: agriculture
    conservation
    environmental matters

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rt: Congress, U.S.
    Constitution, U.S.

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nt: attorneys’ fees
    development fees and taxes
rt: court costs
    reimbursement rates

Ferries
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rt: agriculture

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rt: estates and trusts
    personal representatives

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    financial institutions
    loans
    mortgages

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nt: banks and trust companies
    credit unions
    savings and loan associations
rt: disclosure
    electronic funds transfer
    finance companies
    interest

FINANCIAL PLANNERS
rt: investments

FINANCIAL REGULATION, DIVISION OF
bt: administrative agencies

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FINES
rt: court costs
    crimes and punishments
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rt: cybersecurity

FREDERICK COUNTY
bt: counties

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FUEL
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rt: energy matters
    nuclear matters
    service stations
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FUEL TAX
bt: revenue and taxes

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FUNERALS
rt: cemeteries
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nt: bingo
    casinos
    lottery
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    youth

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rt: tri-county council

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GENERAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

GENETICS
rt: diseases
    health
    medical research

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, MARYLAND
bt: administrative agencies

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rt: nonprofit organizations

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rt: fish and fishing

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rt: liability

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bt: public officials
rt: lieutenant governor
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rt: indictments

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rt: state aid

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rt: assisted living
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    juvenile facilities

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rt: hunting

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bt: municipal corporations
rt: Washington County

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rt: discrimination
violence

HARFORD COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
counties
rt: Baltimore Metropolitan Council

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HAZARDOUS AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES
nt: asbestos
radiation
rt: environmental health
environmental matters
occupational safety
pest control

HEALTH
nt: environmental health
mental and behavioral health
rt: clinics
diseases
genetics
health care facilities
health maintenance organizations
health planning and cost review
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hospitals
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managed care organizations
medical assistance
medical research
medical treatments
reproductive matters
smoking and vaping
substance abuse
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HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: medical assistance
medical research
mental and behavioral health
state hospitals

HEALTH AND HIGHER EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY
bt: administrative agencies

HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE
bt: administrative agencies
public corporations and instrumentalities
rt: health insurance

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HEALTH CARE COMMISSION
bt: administrative agencies
committees and commissions
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nt: clinics
hospices
hospitals
nursing homes
state hospitals
rt: health
patients

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HEALTH INSURANCE
bt: insurance
rt: agents and brokers
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health maintenance organizations
Insurance Administration
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rt: medical malpractice
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bt: managed care organizations
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HEALTH OCCUPATIONS
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electrologists
medication technicians
midwives
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osteopaths
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HEALTH SERVICES COST REVIEW COMMISSION
bt: administrative agencies
committees and commissions

HEARING AIDS
rt: deaf persons
equipment

HEARINGS
rt: Administrative Hearings, Office of

HEATING AND COOLING
rt: building codes
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rt: radiation
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bt: education
rt: community colleges
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HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION
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rt: higher education

HIGHWAYS
bt: public works
rt: accidents
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bt: crimes and punishments
rt: theft

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HISTORICAL MATTERS
rt: art, music and cultural affairs
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rt: health
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HOME DETENTION
rt: correctional institutions
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HOME SCHOOLING
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rt: private schools
    public schools

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nt: manslaughter
    murder
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: death

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HORSE INDUSTRY BOARD
bt: committees and commissions

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HOSPICES
bt: health care facilities
rt: health
    hospitals

HOSPITALS
nt: state hospitals
bt: health care facilities

rt: clinics
    health
    hospices
    nursing homes
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    uncompensated care

HOTELS AND MOTELS
rt: tourism

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HOUSING
nt: apartments
    condominiums
    mobile and manufactured homes
rt: discrimination
    mortgages
    property managers
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HOUSING AND COMMUNITY
    DEVELOPMENT, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

HOWARD COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
    counties
rt: Baltimore Metropolitan Council

Human Relations Commission
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HUMAN RIGHTS
rt: censorship
    discrimination
    human trafficking
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bt: administrative agencies
rt: social services
    support of dependents
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rt: crimes and punishments
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rt: animals
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bt: administrative agencies

Infrastructure
see PUBLIC WORKS

INHERITANCE TAX
bt: revenue and taxes
rt: estate tax
estates and trusts

Injured Workers’ Insurance Fund
see WORKERS’ COMPENSATION

INJURY
rt: victims

Inmate Grievance Commission
see PRISONERS

Inmates
see PRISONERS

INSECTS
nt: bees
rt: pest control

INSPECTIONS
nt: motor vehicle inspection

Installment Sales
see CREDIT

Institutional Education
see EDUCATION

INSURANCE
nt: health insurance
Maryland Automobile Insurance
Fund
motor vehicle insurance

rt: agents and brokers
claims
health maintenance organizations
Insurance Administration
liability
managed care organizations
property damage
workers’ compensation

INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION
bt: administrative agencies
rt: insurance
health insurance
motor vehicle insurance

INTEREST
rt: banks and trust companies
financial institutions
loans

INTERIOR DESIGNERS

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
rt: immigrants and citizenship
foreign trade

INTERNET
rt: mobile devices
telematics and information
technology

Interns
see JOB TRAINING

Interpreters
see LANGUAGE

INTERSTATE AFFAIRS
rt: delmarva peninsula
District of Columbia
extradition

Intestate Succession
see ESTATES AND TRUSTS

INVESTIGATIONS AND INQUIRIES
nt: criminal background investigations

INVESTMENTS
nt: securities
rt: financial planners
real estate investment trusts

Ireland
see INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Israel
see INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

J

Jails
see CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS
JUVENILE FACILITIES
PATUXENT INSTITUTION

JOB TRAINING
rt: apprentices
continuing education
education
vocational rehabilitation
work, labor and employment

Josting
see STATE SYMBOLS

JUDGES
rt: circuit courts
Court of Appeals
Court of Special Appeals
courts
district courts
orphans’ court

JUDGMENTS
rt: civil actions
damages

JUDICIAL REVIEW
rt: administrative procedure act
appeals
courts

Judiciary
see COURTS

Junkyards
see WRECKERS AND SCRAP PROCESSORS

JURIES
nt: grand juries
rt: circuit courts
courts
trials

JURISDICTION
rt: circuit courts
courts
district courts

JURISDICTION
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JUVENILE CAUSES
rt: courts
crimes and punishments
curfew
gangs
juvenile facilities
minors
vandalism
youth

JUVENILE FACILITIES
rt: child care
crimes and punishments
group homes
juvenile causes

JUVENILE SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

K

KENT COUNTY
bt: code counties
 counties
rt: eastern shore

Kidnapping
see ABDUCTION

Kidney Disease
see DISEASES

KOSHER PRODUCTS
bt: food

L

LABELING
rt: advertising
 consumer protection
 prices

Labor
see WORK, LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

LABOR AND INDUSTRY, DIVISION OF
bt: administrative agencies

LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: Labor and Industry, Division of

Labor Unions
see UNIONS

LABORATORIES

Lakes
see RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES

LAND PATENTS
rt: deeds
 real property

LAND PRESERVATION TRUSTS
rt: conservation

Land Reclamation
see RECLAMATION

LAND RECORDS
nt: deeds
bt: records
rt: circuit courts
 clerks of court
 recordation

Land Surveyors
see SURVEYORS

Land Use
see ZONING AND PLANNING
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see GENERAL ASSEMBLY

LIABILITY
rt: accidents
civil actions
damages
good samaritan insurance
medical malpractice
motor vehicle insurance
negligence
sovereign immunity
torts

LIBEL AND SLANDER
bt: torts
rt: privacy

LIBRARIES
rt: archives

LICENSE COMMISSIONERS, BOARDS OF
bt: committees and commissions
rt: alcoholic beverages
alcoholic beverages – by subdivision
alcoholic beverages licenses

LICENSE PLATES
rt: motor vehicle registration

LICENSES
nt: alcoholic beverages licenses
drivers’ licenses
rt: certifications
registration

LIE DETECTION

LIENS
nt: mechanics’ liens
bt: security interests
rt: debt collection
real property

LIFE INSURANCE
see INSURANCE

LIGHT RAIL
see MASS TRANSIT

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES
rt: corporations
partnerships

Liquor
see ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Liquor Control Boards
see LICENSE COMMISSIONERS, BOARDS OF

Liquor Licenses
see ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES

LITERACY
rt: education
language

LITTER
rt: environmental matters
refuse disposal

LIVESTOCK
see ANIMALS

LIVING WILLS
see ADVANCE MEDICAL DIRECTIVES
LOANS
nt: mortgages
rt: banks and trust companies
credit
credit unions
finance companies
interest
savings and loan associations
scholarships and student financial aid

LOBBYING
rt: political committees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATES
rt: counties
laws and ordinances
Local Governments
see COUNTIES
MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

LOCKSMITHS

LOITERING

LONG-TERM CARE
rt: assisted living
continuing care
elderly persons
health insurance
home care services
nursing homes

LOTTERY
bt: gaming

LOTTERY AND GAMING CONTROL AGENCY, STATE
bt: administrative agencies

Low Income
see POVERTY

Lyft
see RIDESHARING

M

Mail
see POSTAL SERVICE

Malls
see SHOPPING CENTERS

Malpractice
see MEDICAL MALPRACTICE

MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATIONS
nt: health maintenance organizations
rt: health
health insurance

Mandates
see LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATES

MANDATORY RETIREMENT
rt: retirement

MANSLAUGHTER
bt: crimes and punishments
homicide
rt: murder

Manufactured Homes
see MOBILE AND MANUFACTURED HOMES

Manufacturing
see INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY

MAPS AND CHARTS
rt: state documents

Marijuana
see CANNABIS
MARINAS
rt:  boats and ships
     piers and docks
     ports
     waterway improvement fund

MARRIAGE
rt:  annulment
     divorce
     domestic partnerships and civil unions
     family law

Marriage Therapists
see  COUNSELORS

Maryland African American Museum Corporation
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

Maryland Agricultural and Resource-Based Industry Development Corporation
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

MARYLAND AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE FUND
bt:  administrative agencies
     insurance
     motor vehicle insurance

Maryland Correctional Enterprises
see  CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

Maryland Economic Development Corporation
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

Maryland Food Center Authority
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

Maryland Health Insurance Plan
see  HEALTH INSURANCE

Maryland Industrial Development Financing Authority
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION
bt:  committees and commissions
rt:  District of Columbia
     forests and parks
     Montgomery County
     Prince George’s County
     zoning and planning

Maryland Port Administration
see  PORTS

MARYLAND REGISTER
bt:  publications
     state documents
rt:  rules and regulations

Maryland Technology Development Corporation
see  PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

MASS TRANSIT
nt:  buses
     railroads
rt:  commuters
     transportation

MASSAGE
rt:  physical therapists

MEAT, POULTRY, SEAFOOD
nt:  clams
     crabs
     oysters
bt:  food
rt:  fish and fishing
MECHANICS’ LIENS
bt: lien
    security interests
rt: construction
    contractors

Medevac
see EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

MEDIATION
bt: alternative dispute resolution
rt: arbitration
    courts

Medicaid
see MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
rt: health
    Health, Department of
    health insurance
    health planning and cost review
    social services

Medical Equipment
see EQUIPMENT

MEDICAL EXAMINERS
bt: physicians
rt: autopsies

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
bt: negligence
    torts
rt: civil actions
    liability
    physicians

Medical Marijuana
see CANNABIS
    CANNABIS DISTRIBUTION
    CANNABIS PRODUCTION

Medical Records
see RECORDS

MEDICAL RESEARCH
rt: diseases
    genetics
    health
    Health, Department of
    medical treatments

MEDICAL SCHOOLS
rt: higher education
    state universities and colleges

MEDICAL TREATMENTS
rt: diseases
    health
    medical research

Medical Waste
see REFUSE DISPOSAL

Medicare
see MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

MEDICATION TECHNICIANS
bt: health occupations

Memorandum of Understanding
see CONTRACTS

Memorials
see MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS

MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
rt: autism spectrum
rt: health
    counselors
    Health, Department of
    psychiatrists
    psychologists
    state hospitals

Mental Retardation
see DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
MENTORS
rt: education

Mercy Killing
see DEATH

MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS
rt: antitrust enforcement
    corporations

Methamphetamine
see CONTROLLED DANGEROUS
    SUBSTANCES
    DRUGS

Metro
see MASS TRANSIT

MIDWIVES
bt: health occupations
    rt: nurses
    pregnancy

Military
see ARMED FORCES

MILITARY DEPARTMENT
bt: administrative agencies

MILK PRODUCTS
bt: food

MINES, BUREAU OF
bt: administrative agencies
    rt: coal

Minimum Wage
see SALARIES AND COMPENSATION

MINING
rt: coal
    natural resources

Ministers
see PLACES OF WORSHIP

MINORITIES
rt: women
    discrimination
    ethnic affairs

MINORS
bt: age
    rt: age of majority
    child abuse and neglect
    child care
    curfew
    parents and guardians
    juvenile causes
    youth

MOBILE AND MANUFACTURED HOMES
bt: housing
    rt: motor vehicles

MOBILE DEVICES
rt: internet
    telecommunications and information
    technology
    telephones

Mobile Vendors
see TRANSIENT MERCHANTS

MONTGOMERY COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
    counties
    rt: Maryland-National Capital Park and
    Planning Commission
    Washington Suburban Sanitary
    District

MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS
rt: historical matters

Mopeds
see MOTORCYCLES, MOPEDS AND
    MOTOR SCOOTERS
MORTGAGES
bt: loans
rt: escrow accounts
finance companies
foreclosure
housing
settlement procedures

MORTICIANS
bt: health occupations
rt: cemeteries
death
funerals

Motor Vehicle Emissions
see MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION POLLUTION

MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT
bt: equipment
rt: motor vehicles

Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax
see FUEL TAX

MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION
bt: inspections
rt: motor vehicles
safety

MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE
rt: Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund
bt: insurance
rt: agents and brokers
claims
Insurance Administration
liability
motor vehicles

MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATION
rt: accidents
drunk and drugged driving
motor vehicles
traffic regulation

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION
bt: registration
rt: license plates
motor vehicles
titles

MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR
bt: motor vehicles
rt: service stations

Motor Vehicle Security Interests
see LIENS
MOTOR VEHICLES
nt: abandoned vehicles
ambulances
buses
motorcycles, mopeds and motor scooters
off-road vehicles
school buses
taxicabs
trucks
rt: drunk and drugged driving
mobile and manufactured homes
Motor Vehicle Administration
motor vehicle dealers and salesmen
motor vehicle equipment
motor vehicle inspection
motor vehicle insurance
motor vehicle operation
motor vehicle registration
motor vehicle repair
towing
traffic regulation
transportation

MOTORCYCLES, MOPEDS AND MOTOR SCOOTERS
bt: motor vehicles

MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS
nt: Annapolis
Baltimore City
Hagerstown
Ocean City
bt: corporations

MURDER
bt: crimes and punishments
homicide
rt: death
manslaughter
self defense

MUSEUMS
rt: art, music and cultural affairs
historical matters

Music
see ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

N

NAMES

Narcotics
see CONTROLLED DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES
DRUGS

National Guard
see ARMED FORCES

Native Americans
see ETHNIC AFFAIRS

NATURAL RESOURCES
rt: coal
conservation
forests and parks
mining
reclamation
rivers, streams, and lakes
trees
water
wildlands

NATURAL RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

NEGligence
nt: medical malpractice
rt: accidents
damages
liability
torts

NEWS MEDIA
No-Fault Divorce
see DIVORCE

No-Fault Insurance
see MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE

NOISE
bt: nuisances
rt: aircraft

Nonprofit Health Service Plans
see HEALTH INSURANCE
NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS
rt: gifts
solicitation

Nonpublic Schools
see PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Nonresidents
see RESIDENCY

Nonreturnable Bottles
see BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

NOTARIES PUBLIC

NOTICES
rt: disclosure
public information

NUCLEAR MATTERS
rt: energy matters
fuel
power plants

NUDITY AND SEXUAL DISPLAYS
rt: obscenity
pornography

NUISANCES
rt: noise
weeds

NURSES
bt: health occupations
rt: midwives

NURSING ASSISTANTS
bt: health occupations

NURSING HOMES
bt: health care facilities
rt: assisted living
continuing care
elderly persons
long-term care

Nutritionists
see DIETITIANS AND NUTRITIONISTS

O

OATHS
rt: perjury

OBSCENITY
rt: censorship
nudity and sexual displays
pornography

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY
bt: safety
rt: accidents
hazardous and toxic substances
work, labor and employment
workers’ compensation

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS
bt: health occupations
rt: physical therapists
vocational rehabilitation
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OCEAN CITY
bt: municipal corporations
rt: conventions
eastern shore
tourism
Worcester County

OFF ROAD VEHICLES
bt: motor vehicles
rt: motorcycles, mopeds and motor scooters

Off-Shore Oil
see FUEL

Off-Track Betting
see GAMING

Oil
see FUEL

OMBUDSMEN
rt: consumer protection

OPEN GOVERNMENT
rt: electronic communication
electronic government
public information

Open Meetings
see OPEN GOVERNMENT

Open Space
see PROGRAM OPEN SPACE

OPHTALMOLOGISTS
bt: health occupations
opticians
optometrists
physicians

OPTICIANS
bt: health occupations
rt: ophthalmologists
optometrists

OPTOMETRISTS
bt: health occupations
rt: ophthalmologists
opticians

Ordinances
see LAWS AND ORDINANCES

ORGAN DONORSHIP

ORPHANS’ COURT
bt: courts
rt: estates and trusts
judges
registers of wills

OSTEOPATHS
rt: chiropractors
health occupations
physicians

OVERTIME
rt: salaries and compensation
work, labor and employment

OYSTERS
bt: food
meat, poultry, seafood
rt: fish and fishing

P

Palm Reading
see FORTUNE TELLING
Parent and Child

- see FAMILY LAW

Parental Rights and Responsibilities

- see FAMILY LAW

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

- rt: adoption
  - child custody
  - estates and trusts
  - minors

Park and Planning Commission

- see MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

PARKING

- rt: traffic regulation

Parks

- see FORESTS AND PARKS

Parochial Schools

- see PRIVATE SCHOOLS

PAROLE AND PROBATION

- rt: correctional institutions
  - ex-offenders
  - penalties and sentences

PARTNERSHIPS

- rt: associations
  - commerce and business
  - corporations
  - limited liability companies

Patapsco River

- see RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES

PATERNITY

- rt: child custody
  - family law
  - parents and guardians
  - support of dependents

PATIENTS

- rt: health care facilities
  - hospitals
  - privileged communications
  - records

PATUXENT INSTITUTION

- bt: correctional institutions

Patuxent River

- see RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES

PAWNSHOPS

- rt: precious metals and stones

Peace Orders

- see PROTECTION ORDERS

Peddlers

- see TRANSIENT MERCHANTS

PEDESTRIANS

- rt: highways
  - sidewalks

PENALTIES AND SENTENCES

- nt: death penalty

- rt: citations
  - correctional institutions
  - crimes and punishments
  - fines
  - home detention
  - parole and probation

Pension Systems

- see RETIREMENT

People’s Counsel

- see OMBUDSMEN

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
PERJURY
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: oaths
    witnesses

Permits
see BUILDING PERMITS
    LICENSES

Personal Injury
see INJURY

PERSONAL PROPERTY
rt: abandoned property

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES
rt: estates and trusts
    fiduciaries

PEST CONTROL
rt: agriculture
    bees
    environmental matters
    hazardous and toxic substances
    insects
    weeds

PETITIONS
rt: elections
    referendum

Petroleum
see FUEL

Pets
see ANIMALS

PHARMACISTS AND PHARMACIES
bt: health occupations
rt: cannabis distribution
    drugs
    pharmacy benefits managers

PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS
rt: drugs
    health insurance
    pharmacists and pharmacies

PHOTOGRAPHY

Physical Injury
see INJURY

PHYSICAL THERAPISTS
bt: health occupations
rt: massage
    occupational therapists

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS
bt: health occupations

PHYSICIANS
nt: dentists
    medical examiners
    ophthalmologists
    psychiatrists
    acupuncturists
    chiropractors
    medical malpractice
    osteopaths
    podiatrists
    privileged communications

PIERS AND DOCKS
rt: boats and ships
    marinas
    ports

Pinball Machines
see GAMING

Piracy
see HIJACKING

Pistols
see GUNS
PLACES OF WORSHIP
rt: religion

Planning
see ZONING AND PLANNING

PLANNING, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: zoning and planning

Plant Closings
see INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY

PLASTICS

PLEAS
rt: crimes and punishments
   indictments
   self defense

PLUMBING
rt: building codes
   codes
   contractors
   heating and cooling
   toilets

PODIATRISTS
bt: health occupations
rt: physicians

Poet Laureate
see ART, MUSIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Point System
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Poisons
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Police
see LAW ENFORCEMENT
STATE POLICE,
DEPARTMENT OF

POLICE TRAINING AND STANDARDS COMMISSION
bt: administrative agencies
committees and commissions
rt: law enforcement

POLITICAL CANDIDATES
rt: campaign financing
   elections
   ethics

POLITICAL COMMITTEES
bt: committees and commissions
rt: campaign financing
   ethics
   lobbying

Political Contributions
see CAMPAIGN FINANCING

POLITICAL PARTIES
rt: campaign financing
   elections

POLLUTION
rt: Chesapeake Bay
   coastal bays
   environmental health
   environmental matters
   sediment control
   water

PORNOPHRAVY
rt: censorship
   nudity and sexual displays
   obscenity
PORTS
rt: boats and ships
dredging
marinas
piers and docks

POSTAL SERVICE

Postmortem Examiners
see MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Potomac River
see RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES

Poultry
see BIRDS
MEAT, POULTRY, SEAFOOD

POVERTY

POWER OF ATTORNEY
rt: attorneys
estates and trusts

POWER PLANTS
rt: energy matters
nuclear matters
utilities

PRECIOUS METALS AND STONES
rt: pawnshops

PREGNANCY
rt: abortion
birth control
midwives
reproductive matters
women

PRERELEASE AND REENTRY
rt: ex-offenders
prisoners

Prerelease Programs
see PRERELEASE AND REENTRY

Prescription Medication
see DRUGS

Press
see NEWS MEDIA

PRETRIAL DETENTION OR RELEASE
rt: bail
correctional institutions

Prevailing Wage
see SALARIES AND COMPENSATION

PRICES
rt: consumer price index
consumer protection
labeling
Public Service Commission

Primary Elections
see ELECTIONS

PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
counties
rt: Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission
Washington Suburban Sanitary District

Principals
see SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION
TEACHERS

PRINTING
rt: publications

PRISONERS
rt: correctional institutions
ex-offenders
home detention
prerelease and reentry
repeat offenders
**Prisons**

see  
CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS  
JUVENILE FACILITIES  
PATUXENT INSTITUTION

**PRIVACY**

rt:  
disclosure  
human rights  
libel and slander  
privileged communications  
public information

**PRIVATE DETECTIVES**

rt:  
law enforcement

**Private Review Agents**

see  
HEALTH PLANNING AND COST REVIEW

**PRIVATE SCHOOLS**

nt:  
school administration  
students  
teachers  
tuition  
rt:  
education  
home schooling

**PRIVATIZATION**

rt:  
administrative agencies

**PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATIONS**

rt:  
attorneys  
counselors  
patients  
physicians  
privacy

**Probation**

see  
PAROLE AND PROBATION

**PROCESS SERVING**

rt:  
subpoenas  
summons

**PROCUREMENT**

rt:  
contracts

**PROGRAM OPEN SPACE**

rt:  
environmental matters  
forests and parks  
zoning and planning

**Proper Names**

see  
NAMES

**Property**

see  
ABANDONED PROPERTY  
PERSONAL PROPERTY  
REAL PROPERTY

**PROPERTY DAMAGE**

rt:  
accidents  
insurance  
vandalism

**PROPERTY DEVELOPERS**

rt:  
construction  
real property

**PROPERTY MANAGERS**

rt:  
apartments  
condominiums  
housing

**PROPERTY TAX**

bt:  
revenue and taxes  
rt:  
Assessments and Taxation,  
Department of  
assessment appeal boards  
assessments  
exemptions  
tax credits  
tax sales

**Property Tax Assessment Appeal Boards**

see  
ASSESSMENT APPEAL BOARDS

**PROSTHESSES**

**PROSTITUTION**
2020 Thesaurus

bt: crimes and punishments
rt: human trafficking
sexual offenses

PROTECTION ORDERS
rt: domestic violence
victims

PSYCHIATRISTS
bt: health occupations
physicians
rt: counselors
mental and behavioral health
psychologists

Public Assistance
see WELFARE

PUBLIC BROADCASTING COMMISSION
bt: committees and commissions
rt: television

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES
nt: stadiums
state house
rt: community facilities and services
public works

PUBLIC CORPORATION AND INSTRUMENTALITIES
nt: Health Benefit Exchange
rt: administrative agencies
commerce and business
corporations
industry and technology

PUBLIC DEBT
rt: bonds
county and Baltimore City bonds
state bonds

Public Defender
see LEGAL AID

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES
nt: state employees

PUBLIC INFORMATION
rt: electronic government
notices
privacy

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS
bt: laws and ordinances

PUBLIC OFFICIALS
nt: attorney general
comptroller
county administrators
county executives
governor
lieutenant governor
secretary of state
state prosecutor
state’s attorneys
treasurers
rt: ethics
general assembly

Public-Private Partnerships
see PRIVATIZATION

Public Safety
see SAFETY

PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: Correction, Division of

PUBLIC SCHOOLS
nt: school administration
students
teachers
bt: public works
2020 Thesaurus

rt: education
    home schooling
    state aid

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
bt: administrative agencies
    committees and commissions
rt: buses
    prices
    taxicabs
    utilities

Public Utilities
see UTILITIES

PUBLIC WORKS
nt: bridges and tunnels
    highways
    public buildings and facilities
    public schools
    Public Works, Board of
    sidewalks
    street lights
rt: condemnation

PUBLIC WORKS, BOARD OF
bt: administrative agencies
    committees and commissions

PUBLICATIONS
nt: Maryland Register
    textbooks
rt: printing

R

RABIES
bt: diseases
rt: immunization

RACING
rt: gaming

RADAR
rt: traffic regulation

RADIATION
bt: hazardous and toxic substances
rt: high voltage lines

RADIO

RAFFLES
bt: gaming

RAILROADS
bt: mass transit
rt: transportation

Rape
see SEXUAL OFFENSES

Rape Kits
see CHEMICAL TESTS
SEXUAL OFFENSES

Rates
see PRICES
REIMBURSEMENT RATES

REAL ESTATE
rt: agents and brokers
    appraisals
    real estate investment trusts
    real property

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY
bt: code counties
    counties
rt: eastern shore
REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS
rt: investments
    real estate

REAL PROPERTY
rt: commercial property
deeds
easements
foreign ownership
homeowners associations
land patents
landlord and tenant
liens
property developers
real estate
titles
zoning and planning

Realtors
see AGENTS AND BROKERS
REAL ESTATE

REAPPORTIONMENT AND REDISTRICTING
rt: Congress, U.S.
elections
general assembly

Rebates
see: CONSUMER PROTECTION

Recidivism
see REPEAT OFFENDERS

RECLAMATION
rt: conservation
    environmental matters
    natural resources
    soil conservation

RECORDATION
rt: clerks of court
    land records
    transfer tax

RECORDINGS
rt: records
    video

RECORDS
rt: records
    video

RECLAMATION
rt: conservation
    environmental matters
    natural resources
    soil conservation

Recreational Activities
see SPORTS AND RECREATION

Red Light Monitoring Systems
see TRAFFIC REGULATION

Redistricting
see REAPPORTIONMENT AND REDISTRICTING

Reentry
see PRERELEASE AND REENTRY

REFERENDUM
rt: constitutional amendments
    Declaration of Rights
    elections
    petitions

Refugees
see IMMIGRANTS AND CITIZENSHIP
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RESTITUTION
rt: criminal injuries compensation reparations reparations vandalism victims

Restrooms
see TOILETS

Retail Credit Accounts
see CREDIT

Retail Installment Sales
see CREDIT

RETAIL SALES
rt: commerce and business

Retail Sales Tax
see SALES AND USE TAX

Retaliatory Eviction
see EVICTION

RETIREMENT
rt: mandatory retirement

REVENUE AND TAXES
nt: admissions and amusement tax development fees and taxes estate tax excise tax franchise tax fuel tax income tax inheritance tax property tax sales and use tax transfer tax
rt: assessments exemptions special tax districts tax credits tax preparers

REVIEW BOARDS
bt: committees and commissions
rt: appeals

RIDE-SHARING

Right to Die
see DEATH

RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES
rt: dredging environmental matters natural resources water waterway improvement fund

Roads
see HIGHWAYS

ROBBERY
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: burglary theft

RULES AND REGULATIONS
rt: AELR Committee Maryland Register

RURAL AREAS

S

SAFETY
nt: occupational safety
rt: accidents motor vehicle inspection traffic regulation

ST. MARY’S COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: tri-county council
SALARIES AND COMPENSATION
t: overtime
reimbursement rates
work, labor and employment

Sales
see COMMERCES AND BUSINESS RETAIL SALES

SALES AND USE TAX
bt: revenue and taxes

Sanitarians
see ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

SANITARY DISTRICTS
nt: Washington Suburban Sanitary District

Sanitary Landfills
see REFUSE DISPOSAL

SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS
bt: financial institutions
rt: banks and trust companies
credit unions
loans

SCHOLARSHIPS AND STUDENT FINANCIAL AID
rt: higher education
loans
state universities and colleges
students
tuition

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION
bt: Education, Boards of public schools
private schools
nt: counselors
teachers
rt: students

School Boards
see EDUCATION, BOARDS OF

SCHOOL BUSES
bt: buses
rt: transportation

School Construction
see PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SCHOOL TESTING
rt: education
examinations

Schools
see PRIVATE SCHOOLS
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Scrap Processors
see WRECKERS AND SCRAP PROCESSORS

Seafood
see CLAMS
CRABS
FISH AND FISHING
MEAT, POULTRY, SEAFOOD
OYSTERS

Seamen
see BOATS AND SHIPS

SEARCH AND SEIZURE
rt: warrants

Seat Belts
see MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT

SECRETARY OF STATE
bt: public officials

SECURITIES
bt: investments
rt: corporations
Security
see SAFETY

SECURITY ALARMS

SECURITY DEPOSITS
rt: landlord and tenant
leases and rent

Security Guards
see LAW ENFORCEMENT

SECURITY INTERESTS
rt: liens
mechanics’ liens

SEDIMENT CONTROL
rt: environmental matters
erosion
flood control
pollution
soil conservation

Seizure
see SEARCH AND SEIZURE

SELF DEFENSE
rt: crimes and punishments
murder
pleas

Senate
see GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Senior Citizens
see ELDERLY PERSONS

Sentences
see PENALTIES AND SENTENCES

Septic Systems
see SEWAGE

Service Contracts
see CONTRACTS

SERVICE STATIONS
rt: automotive repair
fuel

SETTLEMENT PROCEDURES
rt: housing
mortgages

Severance Tax
see REVENUE AND TAXES

SEWAGE
rt: environmental matters
utilities
Washington Suburban Sanitary District

Sex Discrimination
see DISCRIMINATION

Sex Therapy
see COUNSELORS

SEXUAL OFFENSES
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: child abuse and neglect
prostitution

SEXUAL ORIENTATION
rt: discrimination
domestic partnerships and civil unions

Shellfish
see CLAMS
OYSTERS

Sheltered Housing
see ASSISTED LIVING
GROUP HOMES

SHERIFFS
rt: law enforcement
Ships
see  BOATS AND SHIPS

SHOPPING CENTERS
rt:  commerce and business

SHORE EROSION
bt:  erosion
rt:  environmental matters
waterway improvement fund

Sick Leave
see  LEAVE

SIDEWALKS
bt:  public works
rt:  highways
pedestrians

SIGNATURES

SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS
rt:  advertising

Silver
see  PRECIOUS METALS AND STONES

Slander
see  LIBEL AND SLANDER

Slavery
see  HUMAN RIGHTS

Slot Machines
see  GAMING

Sludge
see  SEWAGE

SMALL BUSINESS
bt:  commerce and business

SMALL CLAIMS
bt:  civil actions
rt:  damages
district courts

SMART GROWTH
rt:  zoning and planning

Smoke Detectors
see  FIRE PROTECTION

SMOKING AND VAPING
rt:  cigarettes
health
tobacco and nicotine

Snow Emergencies
see  EMERGENCIES

Snow tires
see  MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT

Snowmobiles
see  OFF-ROAD VEHICLES

SOCIAL SECURITY

SOCIAL SERVICES
rt:  community facilities and services
Human Services, Department of
medical assistance
welfare

SOCIAL WORKERS
bt:  counselors
health occupations
SOIL CONSERVATION
bt: conservation
rt: environmental matters
erosion
reclamation
sediment control

SOLAR ENERGY
bt: energy matters
renewable energy sources
rt: utilities

SOLICITATION
rt: commerce and business
consumer protection
nonprofit organizations

Solid Waste
see REFUSE DISPOSAL

SOMERSET COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: eastern shore

Sound Recordings
see RECORDINGS

South Africa
see INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY
rt: liability
torts

SPECIAL EDUCATION
bt: education
rt: autism spectrum
developmental disabilities

SPECIAL EVENTS

Special Observance Days
see HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL DATES

Special Police
see LAW ENFORCEMENT

SPECIAL TAX DISTRICTS
rt: development fees and taxes
revenue and taxes

Speech Pathologists
see AUDIOLOGISTS AND SPEECH PATHOLOGISTS

Speed Limits
see TRAFFIC REGULATION

Speed Monitoring Systems
see TRAFFIC REGULATION

SPORTS AND RECREATION
rt: Athletic Commission, State
country clubs
stadiums
swimming pools

Sports Injury
see INJURY

Spousal Abuse
see DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

SPOUSES
rt: annulment
divorce
domestic partnerships and civil unions
family law
marriage

STADIUM AUTHORITY
bt: administrative agencies

STADIUMS
bt: public buildings and facilities
rt: sports and recreation

STAMPS AND COINS
State Agencies
see ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT

STATE AID
rt: education
    grants
    public schools
    welfare

STATE BONDS
bt: bonds
rt: capital budgets
    public debt

State Colors
see STATE SYMBOLS

State Contracts
see PROCUREMENT

STATE DOCUMENTS
nt: Maryland Register
rt: forms
    maps and charts
    records

STATE EMPLOYEES
bt: public employees

State Fair
see FAIRS

State Government
see ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT

STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION
bt: administrative agencies
    highways
rt: State Roads Commission
    Transportation, Department of

STATE HOSPITALS
bt: health care facilities
    hospitals
rt: clinics
    Health, Department of
    mental and behavioral health

STATE HOUSE
bt: public buildings and facilities

State Law Library
see LIBRARIES

State Motto
see STATE SYMBOLS

STATE POLICE, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: law enforcement

STATE PROSECUTOR
bt: public officials

State Roads
see HIGHWAYS

STATE ROADS COMMISSION
bt: administrative agencies
    committees and commissions
rt: State Highway Administration
    highways

State Seal
see STATE SYMBOLS

STATE SYMBOLS

STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES
rt: community colleges
    higher education
    medical schools
    scholarships and student financial aid
    students
    tuition
STATE'S ATTORNEYS
bt: public officials
rt: attorneys

STATUTES OF LIMITATION
rt: crimes and punishments

Stem Cell Research
see MEDICAL RESEARCH

Stocks
see INVESTMENTS SECVIRIES

STORAGE
rt: fuel

Stormwater
see FLOOD CONTROL

Streams
see RIVERS, STREAMS, AND LAKES

STREET LIGHTS
bt: public works
rt: highways

Streets
see HIGHWAYS

STRIKES
rt: arbitration
    collective bargaining
    unions
    work, labor and employment

Strip Mining
see MINING

Student Financial Aid
see SCHOLARSHIPS AND STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

STUDENTS
rt: discipline
    education
    higher education
    private schools
    public schools
    scholarships and student financial aid
    state universities and colleges
    truancy
    tuition
    youth

Stun Guns
see WEAPONS

Subdivisions
see ZONING AND PLANNING

SUBPOENAS
bt: summonses
rt: process serving
    witnesses

Subsequent Injury Fund
see WORKERS' COMPENSATION

SUBSTANCE ABUSE
rt: alcoholic beverages
    controlled dangerous substances
    drugs
    drunk and drugged driving
    health

Subways
see MASS TRANSIT

Suicide
see DEATH

Suits
see CIVIL ACTIONS
SUMMONSES
nt: subpoenas
rt: process serving

Sunday Sales
see BLUE LAWS

SUNSET
rt: administrative agencies

Sunshine Laws
see PUBLIC INFORMATION

SUPPORT OF DEPENDENTS
nt: alimony
rt: child custody
divorce
family law
Human Services, Department of paternity

Surface Mining
see MINING

Surrogate Parenting
see REPRODUCTIVE MATTERS

Surveillance
see ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE

SURVEYORS

SWIMMING POOLS
rt: sports and recreation

T

TALBOT COUNTY
bt: chartered counties
counties
rt: eastern shore

Task Forces
see COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

TATTOOS AND BODY PIERCING

TAX COURT, MARYLAND
bt: courts

TAX CREDITS
rt: enterprise zones
exemptions
income tax
property tax
revenue and taxes

TAX PREPARERS
rt: income tax
revenue and taxes

TAX RETURNS
rt: accountants
income tax
property tax
revenue and taxes
sales and use tax
tax preparers

TAX SALES
rt: property tax

Taxes
see REVENUE AND TAXES

TAXICABS
bt: motor vehicles
rt: for-hire driving
Public Service Commission transportation

TAXIDERMISTS
rt: animals
TEACHERS
rt: counselors
education
private schools
public schools

Technology
see INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY
TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
nt: telephones
bt: communications
rt: electronic commerce
electronic government
internet
mobile devices

Telephone Solicitation
see SOLICITATION

TELEPHONES
bt: telecommunications and information
technology
utilities
rt: mobile devices

TELEVISION
nt: cable television
rt: Public Broadcasting Commission
video

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
see WELFARE

Temporary Cash Assistance
see WELFARE

Tenants
see LANDLORD AND TENANT

Term Limits
see PUBLIC OFFICIALS

TERMINATION OF SERVICES

Termites
see INSECTS

Territorial Limit
see BOUNDARIES

Terrorism
see VIOLENCE

Testimony
see WITNESSES

Tests
see CHEMICAL TESTS
EXAMINATIONS
SCHOOL TESTING

TEXTBOOKS
bt: publications
rt: public schools

THEATERS
rt: art, music and cultural affairs
motion pictures

THEFT
nt: shoplifting
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: burglary
hijacking
robbery

Therapists
see COUNSELORS
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS
PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

THREATS
nt: harassment
rt: violence
Timber
see TREES

TIME

TIMESHARING
rt: condominiums
housing

Tips
see GRATUITIES

Tires
see MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT

TITLES
rt: motor vehicle registration
real property

TOBACCO AND NICOTINE
rt: cigarettes
smoking and vaping

TOILETS
rt: plumbing

Tolls
see FEES

TORTS
nt: libel and slander
medical malpractice
wrongful death
rt: civil actions
damages
liability
negligence
sovereign immunity

TOURISM
rt: conventions
hotels and motels
Ocean City

TOWING
rt: motor vehicles
trucks

Toxic Substances
see HAZARDOUS AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Trade
see COMMERCE AND BUSINESS
ELECTRONIC COMMERCE
FOREIGN TRADE

TRADE SECRETS
rt: commerce and business

Trademarks
see COPYRIGHT

TRADERS
rt: commerce and business

TRAFFIC REGULATION
rt: accidents
drunk and drugged driving
highways
motor vehicle operation
motor vehicles
parking
radar
safety

Trafficking in Persons
see HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Trailers
see MOBILE AND MANUFACTURED HOMES

Training
see JOB TRAINING

TRANSFER TAX
bt: revenue and taxes
rt: recordation
TRANSIENT MERCHANTS
rt: commerce and business

Transit
see MASS TRANSIT

TRANSPORTATION
rt: aircraft
     airports
     boats and ships
     buses
     commuters
     for-hire driving
     highways
     mass transit
     motor vehicles
     railroads
     school buses
     taxicabs
     trucks

TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies
rt: State Highway Administration
     Motor Vehicle Administration

Transportation Network Companies
see RIDESHARING

TRAPPING
rt: animals
     hunting

Traveler's Checks
see CHECKS

TREASURERS
bt: public officials

TREES
rt: conservation
     environmental matters
     foresters
     forests and parks
     natural resources

TRESPASS
bt: crimes and punishments

TRIALS
rt: circuit courts
     civil actions
     Court of Appeals
     Court of Special Appeals
     courts
     district courts
     juries

TRI-COUNTY COUNCIL
bt: committees and commissions
rt: Allegany County
     Calvert County
     Charles County
     counties
     Garrett County
     St. Mary's County
     Washington County

TRUANCY
rt: students

TRUCKS
bt: motor vehicles
rt: towing
     transportation

Trusts
see BUSINESS TRUSTS
     ESTATES AND TRUSTS
     LAND PRESERVATION TRUSTS

TUITION
rt: community colleges
     higher education
     scholarships and student financial aid
     private schools
     state universities and colleges
     students
Tunnels
see  BRIDGES AND TUNNELS

Uninsured Employers’ Fund
see  WORKERS’ COMPENSATION

UNIONS
rt:  collective bargaining
     strikes
     work, labor and employment

United States Congress
see  CONGRESS, U.S.

United States Constitution
see  CONSTITUTION, U.S.

Universities
see  HIGHER EDUCATION
     MEDICAL SCHOOLS
     STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

University of Baltimore
see  STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

University System of Maryland
see  STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

URBAN AREAS
rt:  urban renewal

URBAN RENEWAL
nt:  commercial rehabilitation
     community development
     enterprise zones
     housing
     urban areas

Use Tax
see  SALES AND USE TAX

Usury
see  INTEREST
2020 Thesaurus

UTILITIES
nt: telephones
    water
rt: energy matters
    high voltage lines
    power plants
    Public Service Commission
    renewable energy sources
    sewage
    solar energy
    wind energy

Utilization Review
see HEALTH PLANNING AND COST REVIEW

V

Vacations
see LEAVE

Vaccines
see IMMUNIZATION

Vagrancy
see INDIGENT PERSONS LOITERING

VANDALISM
bt: crimes and punishments
rt: juvenile causes
    property damage
    restitution

Vaping
see SMOKING AND VAPING

VENDING MACHINES
rt: cigarettes

Vendors
see COMMERCE AND BUSINESS TRANSIENT MERCHANTS

Venereal Disease
see DISEASES

Vestry Act
see RELIGION

VETERANS
rt: armed forces

VETERANS AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF
bt: administrative agencies

VETERINARIANS
bt: health occupations

VETO
rt: governor

VICTIMS
rt: child abuse and neglect
    crimes and punishments
    criminal injuries compensation
    domestic violence
    elder abuse and neglect
    injury
    protection orders
    reparations
    restitution

VIDEO
rt: electronic surveillance
    recordings
    television

Video Lottery Terminals and Facilities
see GAMING

VIOLENCE
nt: domestic violence
rt: harassment
    threats

Visitation
see CHILD CUSTODY
VITAL RECORDS
bt: records

Vocational Education
see EDUCATION

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION
rt: job training
    occupational therapists

VOLUNTEERS

Voter Registration
see VOTING

VOTING
rt: ballots
elections
    Elections, State Board of
elections supervisors

Voting Rights
see VOTING

VULNERABLE ADULTS
rt: developmental disabilities
disabilities
    elderly persons
    mental and behavioral health

WASHINGTON COUNTY
bt: counties
rt: Hagerstown
    tri-county council

Washington, D.C.
see DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY DISTRICT
bt: sanitary districts
rt: District of Columbia
    Montgomery County
    Prince George’s County
    sewage
    water

Washington Transit Districts
see MASS TRANSIT

WATER
bt: utilities
rt: Chesapeake Bay
    coastal bays
    environmental matters
    natural resources
    pollution
    rivers, streams, and lakes
    Washington Suburban Sanitary District
    waterway improvement fund
    wells

Water Pollution
see POLLUTION

Waterfowl
see BIRDS

WAGES
see SALARIES AND COMPENSATION

WARRANTIES
rt: consumer protection

WARRANTS
rt: arrests
    search and seizure
WATERWAY IMPROVEMENT FUND
rt: boats and ships
Chesapeake Bay
Chesapeake Bay restoration
dredging
environmental matters
marinas
rivers, streams, and lakes
shore erosion
water

WILDLANDS
rt: natural resources

Wildlife
see ANIMALS

Wills
see ESTATES AND TRUSTS

WIND ENERGY
bt: energy matters
renewable energy sources
rt: utilities

Wine
see ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Wineries
see ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

MANUFACTURING

Wireless Communications
see TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

WIRETAPPING
bt: electronic surveillance

WITNESSES
rt: circuit courts
Court of Appeals
Court of Special Appeals
courts
district courts
evidence
perjury
subpoenas

WOMEN
bt: minorities

discrimination
domestic violence
pregnancy
reproductive matters
WORCESTER COUNTY
bt: code counties
    counties
rt: eastern shore
    Ocean City

WORK, LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT
rt: apprentices
    collective bargaining
    commuters
    discrimination
    holidays and special dates
    independent contractors
    job training
    leave
    occupational safety
    overtime
    salaries and compensation
    strikes
    unemployment
    unions
    workers’ compensation

WORKERS’ COMPENSATION
rt: insurance
    occupational safety
    work, labor and employment

WRECKERS AND SCRAP PROCESSORS

WRONGFUL DEATH
bt: torts
rt: death

Z

ZONING AND PLANNING
rt: development fees and taxes
    environmental matters
    Maryland-National Capital Park and
    Planning Commission
    Planning, Department of
    program open space
    real property
    smart growth

Zoos
see ANIMALS

X

Y

YOUTH
bt: age
rt: camps
    curfew
    gangs