



SYNOPSIS

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
2014 Maryland General Assembly Session

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Schedule 47

SENATE BILL INTRODUCED *March 19, 2014*

SB 1114 Senator Zirkin, et al

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE – INITIAL APPEARANCE AND REPRESENTATION BY THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER

Proposing an amendment to the Maryland Constitution establishing that Article 21 of the Declaration of Rights may not be construed to require the Office of the Public Defender to represent a defendant at an initial appearance before a District Court commissioner; and submitting the amendment to the qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT – CONTINGENT

Maryland Constitution, Declaration of Rights, Art. 21 - amended

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

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