



# SYNOPSIS

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions  
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## SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED February 16, 2017

### **SB 1083** Senator Waugh

CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – ST. MARY’S COUNTY – ST. CLEMENT’S ISLAND NORTH PIER

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt in the amount of \$100,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of St. Clements Hundred, Inc. for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the North Pier on St. Clement’s Island, located in St. Mary’s County; providing for disbursement of the loan proceeds; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2017

Assigned to: Senate Rules

### **SB 1084** Senator Waugh

STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT – VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES – DEFINITIONS

Defining “small business” and “veteran” for the purposes of specified provisions of law relating to procurement from veteran-owned small business enterprises; and altering the definition of “veteran-owned small business enterprise” to include a small business that is at least 51% owned by one or more individuals who are veterans.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

SF, § 14-601 - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules

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**SB 1085 Senator Conway****MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY – DESIGNATION AS THE STATE’S  
PREEMINENT PUBLIC URBAN RESEARCH INSTITUTION**

Designating Morgan State University as the State’s public urban research institution; requiring Morgan State University to be dedicated to the development and delivery of comprehensive and high-quality academic programs and services to the University community and the citizens of the State, and to serve a diverse citizenry in an innovative and collaborative manner; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

ED, §§ 11-105(b)(5)(iii), 14-101(b), and 14-104(n)(1) - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1086 Senator Conway****BALTIMORE CITY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – RESIDENCY AND  
REGISTERED VOTER REQUIREMENTS**

Exempting specified individuals who apply for alcoholic beverages licenses for the use of a partnership, corporation, club, or limited liability company in Baltimore City from specified residency and registered voter requirements.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

AB, § 12-1401 - amended, § 12-1402 - repealed, and §§ 12-1401.1 and 12-1402 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1087 Senator Conway****BALTIMORE CITY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – PROTEST OF  
LICENSE RENEWAL**

Authorizing the Baltimore City Board of License Commissioners to require a specified mediation when a protest against renewing an alcoholic beverages license is filed at least 30 days before the license expires; authorizing the withdrawal or dismissal of a protest and the Board’s approval or denial of a license renewal without a specified hearing if a required mediation results in a specified agreement; and requiring the Board to hold a specified hearing if a required mediation does not result in a specified agreement.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

AB, § 12-1805 - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1088** Senator Astle

## ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – CLASS B BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSES – FEES

Increasing the annual fee for a Class B beer, wine, and liquor license in Anne Arundel County from \$1,080 to \$1,296.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

AB, § 11-902 - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1089** Senator Hershey, et al

## PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION – HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES – DIGITAL DEVICES

Requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, in consultation with the State Department of Education, to develop health and safety guidelines and procedures for the use of digital devices in public school classrooms; and requiring each county board of education to implement specified health and safety guidelines and procedures for the use of digital devices in public school classrooms beginning in the 2018–2019 school year.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

ED, § 4-111.4 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1090** Senators Hershey and Norman

## MARYLAND TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY – JOHN F. KENNEDY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY – TOLL PLAZAS

Prohibiting the Maryland Transportation Authority from making any capital investment in the John F. Kennedy Memorial Highway toll plaza; requiring the Authority to remove the John F. Kennedy Memorial Highway toll plaza when it becomes functionally obsolete and establish a new toll plaza for the John F. Kennedy Memorial Highway at a location between Maryland Route 279 and the boundary between Maryland and Delaware; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

TR, § 4-406 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1091 Senator Hough****PUBLIC SAFETY – PERMIT TO WEAR, CARRY, OR TRANSPORT A HANDGUN – EXPIRATION AND RENEWAL**

Altering the time period in which a permit to wear, carry, or transport a handgun expires to be 5 years after the issuance; and altering the time period for renewal of a permit to wear, carry, or transport a handgun to 5 years after the last renewal.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

PS, § 5-309 - amended

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1092 Senator Jennings****PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FRAUD PREVENTION ACT**

Requiring, with specified exceptions, each newly issued or reissued electronic benefits transfer card to contain a photograph of the recipient; requiring the Family Investment Administration in the Department of Human Resources to establish specified procedures; prohibiting an establishment that accepts electronic benefits transfer cards from requiring a cardholder to show the photograph on the card unless other customers are required to show photographic identification; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

HU, § 5-609 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

**SB 1093 Senator Klausmeier****CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – BALTIMORE COUNTY – DOUBLE ROCK PARK**

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$250,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the County Executive and County Council of Baltimore County for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of Double Rock Park, located in Baltimore County; providing for disbursement of the loan proceeds, subject to a requirement that the grantee provide and expend a matching fund; etc.

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