



SYNOPSIS

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SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED February 15, 2018

SB 1111 Senator Conway

CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – BALTIMORE CITY – BARCO PLAYHOUSE THEATER

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$250,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of the Baltimore Arts Realty Corporation for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the BARCO Playhouse Theater, located in Baltimore City; 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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Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1112 Senator Conway

CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – BALTIMORE CITY – THE BARCO COMPOUND

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$250,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of the Baltimore Arts Realty Corporation for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of an arts complex, located in Baltimore City; 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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SB 1113 Senator Conway**CORRECTIONAL SERVICES – DIMINUTION CREDITS – EDUCATION**

Awarding a one-time diminution credit to reduce the term of confinement of an inmate if the inmate successfully obtains a certain educational certificate, diploma, or degree; establishing a diminution credit of not less than 60 days and not more than 730 days that may be awarded; and requiring the Commissioner of Correction to establish a uniform system of deductions and participation criteria for awarding a certain diminution credit.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2018

CS, § 3-706.1 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1114 Senator Conway**MARYLAND LICENSURE OF DIRECT-ENTRY MIDWIVES ACT – REVISIONS**

Altering the circumstances under which a licensed direct-entry midwife is prohibited from assuming or continuing to take responsibility for a patient's pregnancy and birth care and is required to arrange for the orderly transfer of care of the patient; altering the circumstances under which a licensed direct-entry midwife is required to consult with a health care practitioner; etc.

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HO, §§ 8-6C-03, 8-6C-07(a)(1), 8-6C-08(f)(2)(ii), 8-6C-09, 8-6C-10(a), and 8-6C-13(b) - amended and § 8-6C-04(a)(21) - repealed and added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1115 Senator Middleton**HORSE RACING – INTERSTATE COMPACT ON ANTI-DOPING AND DRUG TESTING STANDARDS**

Entering into the Interstate Anti-Doping and Drug Testing Standards Compact; providing that the purpose of the Compact is to facilitate joint action to create more uniform and effective breed specific rules on the permitted and prohibited use of drugs and medications for the welfare of the horse; establishing the Interstate Anti-Doping and Drug Testing Standards Compact Commission to administer the Compact; providing for the composition, voting procedures, operation, and powers and duties of the Commission; etc.

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BR, § 11-1401 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1116 Senator McFadden**CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – BALTIMORE CITY – DARLEY PARK COMMUNITY PARK**

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$75,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of the Parks & People Foundation, Inc. for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of a neighborhood park in the Darley Park community, located in Baltimore City; 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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Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1117 Senator Klausmeier**ELECTRIC UNIVERSAL SERVICE PROGRAM – FUNDS – ARREARAGE PREVENTION**

Authorizing the Department of Human Services to use certain unexpended funds to establish a certain arrearage prevention program; providing that the purpose and intent of the program is a one-time grant of money to establish ongoing arrearage prevention activities in the State; providing for the Department to select certain program recipients for certain purposes; requiring a program recipient to demonstrate certain efforts; and authorizing the program to include the installation of certain equipment.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018

PU, § 7-512.1(b) - amended and § 7-512.1(h) - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1118 Senator Hough**PUBLIC SAFETY – TRAUMA-AFFECTED VETERANS TRAINING PROGRAM – ESTABLISHMENT**

Requiring the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Department of State Police, and the State Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Board jointly and in consultation with veterans to establish a Trauma-Affected Veterans Training Program to provide training to emergency responders and law enforcement officers regarding the effects of acquired and traumatic brain injuries, techniques that can be used when interacting with veterans who have a certain brain injury, and any other relevant issues relating to certain veterans; etc.

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PS, §§ 1-601 and 1-602 - added

Assigned to: Senate Rules

SB 1119 Senator Simonaire**CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY – TICK NECK PARK RECREATIONAL OBSTACLE COURSE**

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$35,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the County Executive and County Council of Anne Arundel County for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of a recreational obstacle course at Tick Neck Park, located in Anne Arundel 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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SB 1120 Senator Simonaire**CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY – BROOKLYN PARK YOUTH ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION PAVILION**

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$25,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of the Brooklyn Park Youth Athletic Association, Inc. for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of a pavilion at the Brooklyn Park Youth Athletic Association facility, located in Anne Arundel 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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SB 1121 Senators Madaleno and Benson**PROCUREMENT – SMALL BUSINESSES AND MINORITY BUSINESSES – QUALIFICATION AND CERTIFICATION**

Requiring the Secretary of General Services, the Secretary of Transportation, the Chancellor of the University System of Maryland, and the President of Morgan State University to adopt regulations to require that a business qualifies as a small business if it has obtained certification under a federal small business certification program; altering a requirement that certain regulations facilitate certification of minority businesses that have received certification under the federal Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program; etc.

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SF, §§ 14-203 and 14-303 - amended

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