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By: **Delegate Vallario**

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Assigned to: Judiciary

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Court of Special Appeals - Sessions - Location**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Chief Judge of the Court of Special Appeals to  
4 designate places, in addition to the City of Annapolis, in which the Court of  
5 Special Appeals shall hold its sessions; and generally relating to the locations in  
6 which the Court of Special Appeals holds its sessions.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
9 Section 1-403(a)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

14 **Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

15 1-403.

16 (a) The Court of Special Appeals shall hold its sessions in the City of  
17 Annapolis, OR IN OTHER PLACES DESIGNATED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE, AND at the time  
18 or times it prescribes by rule. Its sessions shall continue not less than ten months in  
19 each year, if the business before it so requires.

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
21 October 1, 1998.