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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Baltimore City - School Safety Act of 2002

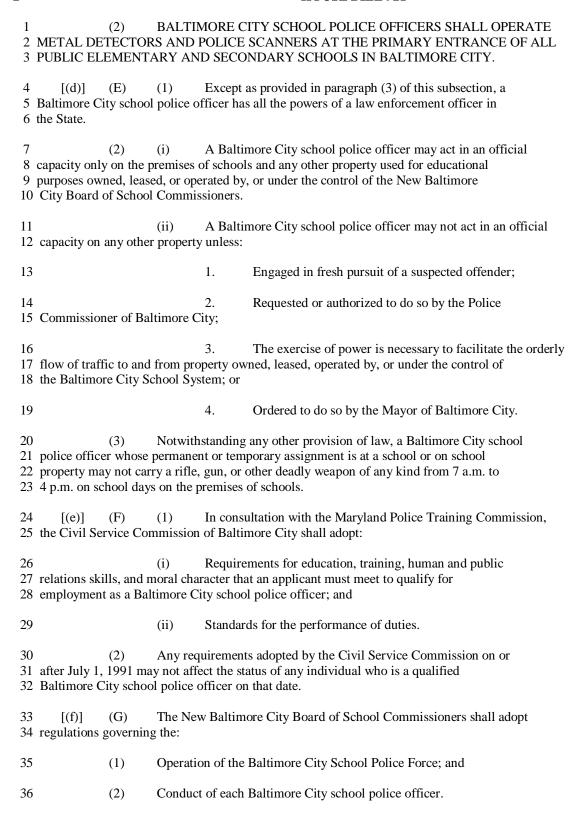
- 3 FOR the purpose of requiring at least one member of the Baltimore City School Police
- 4 Force to be posted, during certain times, at each public elementary and
- 5 secondary school located in Baltimore City; requiring Baltimore City school
- 6 police officers to operate metal detectors and police scanners at certain places in
- 7 certain schools in Baltimore City; and generally relating to school safety in
- 8 Baltimore City.
- 9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 10 Article Education
- 11 Section 4-318
- 12 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 13 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)
- 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 Article - Education

17 4-318.

- 18 (a) In this section, "Baltimore City school police officer" means any person
- 19 who, when acting in an official capacity, is authorized by law to make arrests and who
- 20 is a member of the Baltimore City School Police Force.
- 21 (b) There is a Baltimore City School Police Force.
- 22 (c) The members of the Baltimore City School Police Force shall be employees
- 23 of and be appointed by the New Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners.
- 24 (D) (1) AT LEAST ONE MEMBER OF THE BALTIMORE CITY SCHOOL POLICE
- 25 FORCE SHALL BE POSTED, DURING SCHOOL HOURS, AT EACH PUBLIC ELEMENTARY
- 26 AND SECONDARY SCHOOL LOCATED IN BALTIMORE CITY.

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- [(g)] 1 (H) This section does not:
- Make a Baltimore City school police officer a member of the 2 (1)
- 3 Baltimore City Police Department; or
- 4 (2) Affect the salary, benefits, or retirement program of an employee of 5 Baltimore City or the New Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 6
- 7 October 1, 2002.