

SENATE BILL 42

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Chairman, Judicial Proceedings Committee (By Request -
Departmental - Public Safety and Correctional Services)**

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Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Corrections - Patuxent Institution - Inmate Sanctions for Violations**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the sanctions imposed on certain inmates of the Patuxent
4 Institution who commit a major violation to allow the Board of Review for the
5 Patuxent Institution to impose certain sanctions under certain circumstances;
6 subjecting certain offenders in a certain program to certain potential sanctions;
7 and generally relating to the Board of Review.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

9 Article - Correctional Services

10 Section 4-306(c)(2)

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (1999 Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

15 **Article - Correctional Services**

16 4-306.

17 (c) (2) Except as provided in paragraph (3) of this subsection, if an eligible
18 person OR OFFENDER IN THE PATUXENT YOUTH PROGRAM commits a major violation
19 while on parole, work release, or leave, [the eligible person shall be confined to the
20 Institution and shall be ineligible for parole, work release, or leave for at least 6
21 months] THE BOARD OF REVIEW MAY IMPOSE APPROPRIATE SANCTIONS
22 CONSISTENT WITH THE BEST INTEREST OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

23 SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
24 October 1, 2004.