#### **SENATE BILL 143**

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## By: Senator McFadden (Chairman, Joint Audit Committee) and Senators Astle, Hafer, Hogan, Kramer, Lawlah, and Stoltzfus

Introduced and read first time: January 23, 2004 Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

# A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

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### State Government - Forms Management - Submission of Annual Report

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Records Management Division of the Department of

- 4 General Services to submit an annual report to the General Assembly, rather
- 5 than the Joint Audit Committee, on the forms management activities of each
- 6 Executive Branch department or independent unit during the previous fiscal
- 7 year; and generally relating to the submission of the annual report on forms
- 8 management.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 10 Article State Government
- 11 Section 10-608
- 12 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 13 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

# 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## **Article - State Government**

17 10-608.

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18 (a) On or before July 31 of each year, each department or independent unit 19 shall submit to the Division an annual report on its activities as to the management 20 of its forms during the previous fiscal year.

21 (b) On or before September 1 of each year, the Division shall submit, subject to

22 § 2-1246 of this article, to the [Joint Audit Committee] GENERAL ASSEMBLY an

23 annual report that consolidates the reports of the departments and independent 24 units.

25 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 26 July 1, 2004.