By: Chairman, Appropriations Committee (By Request - Departmental -Public Safety and Correctional Services) Introduced and read first time: February 8, 2005

Assigned to: Appropriations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 State Correctional Facilities - Implementation of Standards Adopted or 3 Proposed by the American Correctional Association

4 FOR the purpose of repealing a provision that precludes the Division of Correction

- 5 from using State funds to implement standards for State correctional facilities
- 6 that are adopted or proposed by the American Correctional Association; and
- 7 generally relating to standards for State correctional facilities.

8 BY repealing

- 9 Article Correctional Services
- 10 Section 8-104
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (1999 Volume and 2004 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

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

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Article - Correctional Services

16 [8-104.

17 Except as provided in the State budget, State funds may not be used to

18 implement standards for State correctional facilities that are adopted or proposed by

19 the American Correctional Association.]

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take 21 effect July 1, 2005.