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By: Senator Dyson

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Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN	ACT	concerning
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- 2 Residential Real Property Sales Notice Requirements Military
 3 Operations and Testing
- 4 FOR the purpose of requiring a contract for the sale of residential real property to
- 5 contain a certain statement notifying the buyer that the property may be
- 6 impacted by certain military operations and certain military testing; providing
- for the construction of this Act; and generally relating to notice requirements for
- 8 the sale of residential real property.
- 9 BY adding to
- 10 Article Real Property
- 11 Section 14-117(k)
- 12 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 13 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)
- 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 16 Article Real Property
- 17 14-117.
- 18 (K) (1) A CONTRACT FOR THE SALE OF RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY SHALL
- 19 CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
- 20 "BUYER IS ADVISED THAT THE PROPERTY MAY BE LOCATED NEAR A MILITARY
- 21 INSTALLATION THAT CONDUCTS FLIGHT OPERATIONS, MUNITIONS TESTING, OR
- 22 MILITARY OPERATIONS THAT MAY RESULT IN HIGH NOISE LEVELS. BUYER SHOULD
- 23 CONTACT THE PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE OF THE NEAREST MILITARY INSTALLATION
- 24 TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE PROPERTY MAY BE IMPACTED BY TESTING OR
- 25 OPERATIONS AT THE INSTALLATION."
- 26 (2) ALL LOCAL LAWS REQUIRING A STATEMENT OF NOTICE
- 27 SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR TO PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION PREVAIL OVER
- 28 THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBSECTION.

- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2006.