

# HOUSE BILL 916

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Secretary of State – Notary Public – Fees**

3 FOR the purpose of increasing the maximum fees that the Secretary of State may  
4 establish by regulation for a notary public to charge for each notarial act; and  
5 generally relating to the establishment of fees for notarial acts.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
7 Article – State Government  
8 Section 18–112(a)  
9 Annotated Code of Maryland  
10 (2004 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – State Government**

14 18–112.

15 (a) The Secretary of State shall adopt regulations to establish fees, not to  
16 exceed [~~\$2~~] **\$4** for an original notarial act, and an appropriate lesser amount for the  
17 repetition of that original notarial act or to make a copy of the matter addressed by  
18 that original notarial act.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
2   October 1, 2007.