

HOUSE BILL 1078

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By: **Prince George's County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 7, 2008

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Task Force to Study Locations in Prince George's**
3 **County Best Suited for Use by State Agencies**

4 **PG 413-08**

5 FOR the purpose of establishing a Task Force to Study Locations in Prince George's
6 County Best Suited for Use by State Agencies; providing for the membership
7 and duties of the Task Force; providing for the designation of a chair of the Task
8 Force; requiring the Office of the County Executive for Prince George's County
9 to provide staff for the Task Force; prohibiting members of the Task Force from
10 receiving compensation, but authorizing certain reimbursement for certain
11 expenses; requiring the Task Force to report its findings and recommendations
12 to the Governor and the General Assembly on or before a certain date; providing
13 for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to the Task Force to
14 Study Locations in Prince George's County Best Suited for Use by State
15 Agencies.

16 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
17 MARYLAND, That:

18 (a) There is a Task Force to Study Locations in Prince George's County Best
19 Suited for Use by State Agencies.

20 (b) The Task Force consists of the following members:

21 (1) three members of the Senate of Maryland, appointed by the
22 President of the Senate;

23 (2) three members of the House of Delegates, appointed by the
24 Speaker of the House;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (3) one representative from the Governor's office, appointed by the
2 Governor;

3 (4) one member of the Prince George's County Council, appointed by
4 the Prince George's County Council;

5 (5) one representative from the Prince George's County Economic
6 Development Corporation, appointed by the Prince George's County Executive;

7 (6) the Prince George's County Executive, or the County Executive's
8 designee;

9 (7) one representative from the Board of Public Works, appointed by
10 the Governor; and

11 (8) the Secretary of General Services, or the Secretary's designee.

12 (c) The Governor shall designate the chair of the Task Force.

13 (d) The Office of the County Executive for Prince George's County shall
14 provide staff for the Task Force.

15 (e) A member of the Task Force:

16 (1) may not receive compensation for serving on the Task Force; but

17 (2) is entitled to reimbursement for expenses under the Standard
18 State Travel Regulations, as provided in the State budget.

19 (f) The Task Force shall study and make recommendations regarding:

20 (1) locations in Prince George's County best suited for use by State
21 agencies;

22 (2) which State agencies are expected to relocate to Prince George's
23 County; and

24 (3) methods of encouraging State agencies to relocate to Prince
25 George's County.

26 (g) On or before September 30, 2009, the Task Force shall report its findings
27 and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State
28 Government Article, the General Assembly.

29 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
30 June 1, 2008. It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and 4 months and, at the
31 end of September 30, 2009, with no further action required by the General Assembly,
32 this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

