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By: **Delegates Norman and Riley** Requested: July 7, 2008 Introduced and read first time: January 14, 2009 Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

A BILL ENTITLED

| 1 | AN | ACT | concerning |
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| 2 | State Government – Flags – Made in USA |
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| $3 \\ 4 \\ 5$ | FOR the purpose of requiring a flag of the United States or a State flag to be manufactured in the United States under certain circumstances; clarifying a certain term; and generally relating to flags on State property. |
| $ \begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \\ 10 \end{array} $ | BY adding to Article – State Government Section 13–206 Annotated Code of Maryland (2004 Replacement Volume and 2008 Supplement) |
| $\begin{array}{c} 11 \\ 12 \end{array}$ | SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: |
| 13 | Article – State Government |
| 14 | 13–206. |
| 15 | (A) IN THIS SECTION, WHEN CAPITALIZED, "STATE" MEANS MARYLAND. |
| 16 | (B) A FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OR A STATE FLAG THAT IS |
| 17 | DISPLAYED ON STATE PROPERTY MUST BE MANUFACTURED IN THE UNITED |
| 18 | STATES. |
| 19 | SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect |
| 20 | October 1, 2009. |

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

