

# HOUSE BILL 228

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By: **Calvert County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: January 28, 2009

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Calvert County – Regulation of Tattoo Artist and Body–Piercing Services**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the County Commissioners of Calvert County to adopt  
4 certain ordinances pertaining to tattoo artist or body–piercing services;  
5 requiring the Calvert County Health Department to enforce certain ordinances;  
6 and generally relating to tattoo artist and body–piercing services.

7 BY adding to

8 Article 25 – County Commissioners

9 Section 256 to be under the new subheading “Regulation of Tattoo Artist and  
10 Body–Piercing Services”

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2008 Supplement)

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

15 **Article 25 – County Commissioners**

16 **REGULATION OF TATTOO ARTIST AND BODY–PIERCING SERVICES**

17 **256.**

18 (A) **THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CALVERT COUNTY MAY ENACT**  
19 **ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO:**

20 (1) **TATTOO ARTIST SERVICES; OR**

21 (2) **BODY–PIERCING SERVICES.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           **(B) THE CALVERT COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ENFORCE**  
2 **ORDINANCES ADOPTED UNDER THIS SECTION.**

3           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
4 October 1, 2009.