

SENATE BILL 23

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By: ~~Senator Colburn~~ **Senators Colburn and Pipkin**

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Caroline County - Department of Corrections Employment Applicants -**
3 **Polygraph Examinations**

4 FOR the purpose of exempting from the prohibition against an employer requiring or
5 demanding, as a condition of employment, that an individual submit to or take a
6 lie detector or similar test, individuals who apply for employment with the
7 Caroline County Detention Center as a correctional officer or for any other
8 position that involves direct personal contact with an inmate in the Center; and
9 generally relating to the Caroline County Detention Center.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article - Labor and Employment
12 Section 3-702(b)(3)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2008 Replacement Volume)

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

17 **Article - Labor and Employment**

18 3-702.

19 (b) (3) This section does not apply to an individual who applies for
20 employment or is employed:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike-out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 (i) as a law enforcement officer, as defined in § 3-101 of the
2 Public Safety Article;

3 (ii) as an employee of a law enforcement agency of the State, a
4 county, or a municipal corporation;

5 (iii) as a communications officer of the Calvert County Control
6 Center;

7 (iv) as a correctional officer of the Calvert County Detention
8 Center or in any other capacity that involves direct personal contact with an inmate in
9 the Detention Center;

10 (v) **AS A CORRECTIONAL OFFICER OF THE CAROLINE**
11 **COUNTY DETENTION CENTER OR IN ANY OTHER CAPACITY THAT INVOLVES**
12 **DIRECT PERSONAL CONTACT WITH AN INMATE IN THE CENTER;**

13 [(v)] (vi) as a correctional officer of the Washington County
14 Detention Center or in any other capacity that involves direct personal contact with an
15 inmate in the Center; or

16 [(vi)] (vii) as a correctional officer of:

- 17 1. the Baltimore City Jail;
- 18 2. the Baltimore County Detention Center;
- 19 3. the Cecil County Detention Center;
- 20 4. the Charles County Detention Center;
- 21 5. the Frederick County Adult Detention Center;
- 22 6. the Harford County Detention Center; or
- 23 7. the St. Mary's County Detention Center.

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