# **SENATE BILL 222**

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# By: Senator Edwards

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# CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

### 1 AN ACT concerning

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### **Garrett County - Hotel Rental Tax**

- FOR the purpose of altering the maximum hotel rental tax rate in Garrett County;
  and generally relating to the maximum hotel rental tax rate in Garrett County.
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 6 Article 24 Political Subdivisions Miscellaneous Provisions
- 7 Section 9–304(b)(8)
- 8 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 9 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2008 Supplement)
- 10 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 11 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

# 12 Article 24 – Political Subdivisions – Miscellaneous Provisions

- 13 9–304.
- 14 (b) An authorized county may not set a hotel rental tax rate that exceeds:
- 15 (8) [5%] **8%** in Garrett County;

# 16 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 17 July 1, 2009.

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

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

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

