## **HOUSE BILL 751**

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By: Delegate McDonough

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Assigned to: Appropriations

## A BILL ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT concerning
- 2 University System of Maryland Law School Clinics Prohibited Activities
- 3 FOR the purpose of prohibiting the law clinic of a law school at a constituent
- 4 institution of the University System of Maryland from participating in certain
- 5 types of litigation; and generally relating to the activities of law clinics at the
- 6 University System of Maryland.
- 7 BY adding to
- 8 Article Education
- 9 Section 13–704
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)
- 12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 14 Article Education
- 15 **13–704.**
- 16 EXCEPT FOR PRO BONO LITIGATION ON BEHALF OF AN INDIGENT
- 17 INDIVIDUAL, A LAW CLINIC AFFILIATED WITH A LAW SCHOOL AT A CONSTITUENT
- 18 INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND MAY NOT INITIATE
- 19 OR PARTICIPATE IN LITIGATION.
- 20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 21 October 1, 2012.