

SENATE BILL 840

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By: **Senator Jones–Rodwell**

Introduced and read first time: January 31, 2014

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Corporations – Members of Boards of Directors – Demographic Information –**
3 **Report to Board of Public Works**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring certain corporations to submit a certain report each year
5 to the Board of Public Works; specifying the contents of a certain report; and
6 generally relating to reports on the demographics of the members of boards of
7 directors of certain corporations submitted to the Board of Public Works.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – State Finance and Procurement
10 Section 10–207
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

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

15 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

16 **10–207.**

17 **ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR, EACH CORPORATION THAT**
18 **HAS BEEN AWARDED A CONTRACT BY THE STATE FOR OVER \$250,000 DURING**
19 **THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE BOARD ON THE**
20 **DEMOGRAPHICS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION’S BOARD OF**
21 **DIRECTORS, INCLUDING:**

22 **(1) THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS SERVING ON THE BOARD OF**
23 **DIRECTORS;**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(2) THE NUMBER OF VACANT POSITIONS ON THE BOARD OF**
2 **DIRECTORS;**

3 **(3) THE GENDER COMPOSITION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD**
4 **OF DIRECTORS; AND**

5 **(4) THE RACE AND NATIONAL ORIGIN COMPOSITION OF THE**
6 **MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

7 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
8 October 1, 2014.