

SENATE BILL 848

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By: **Senators Hough and Young**

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Assigned to: Rules

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Interagency Disabilities Board – Membership and Duties – Community**
3 **Inclusion Training Oversight**

4 FOR the purpose of altering the membership of the Interagency Disabilities Board;
5 requiring the Board to review the content and monitor the implementation of the
6 training objectives and curriculum adopted by the Police Training Commission for a
7 community inclusion training program at least once in a certain time period or more
8 frequently if requested by the Commission; and generally relating to the membership
9 and duties of the Interagency Disabilities Board.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article – Human Services
12 Section 7–128 and 7–131
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2007 Volume and 2014 Supplement)

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

17 **Article – Human Services**

18 7–128.

19 The Board consists of the following members:

20 (1) the Secretary of Disabilities;

21 (2) the Secretary of Aging, or the Secretary's designee;

22 (3) the Secretary of Business and Economic Development, or the
23 Secretary's designee;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (4) the Secretary of Budget and Management, or the Secretary's designee;

2 (5) the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, or the Secretary's
3 designee;

4 (6) the Secretary of Housing and Community Development, or the
5 Secretary's designee;

6 (7) the Secretary of Human Resources, or the Secretary's designee;

7 **(8) THE SECRETARY OF JUVENILE SERVICES, OR THE SECRETARY'S**
8 **DESIGNEE;**

9 **[(8) (9)** the Secretary of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, or the
10 Secretary's designee;

11 **[(9) (10)** the Secretary of Planning, or the Secretary's designee;

12 **[(10) (11)** the State Superintendent of Schools, or the Superintendent's
13 designee;

14 **[(11) (12)** the Secretary of Transportation, or the Secretary's designee;

15 **[(12) (13)** the Executive Director of the Governor's Office for Children, or
16 the Executive Director's designee;

17 **(14) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF**
18 **CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION, OR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE;**

19 **[(13) (15)** the Director of the Governor's Office of the Deaf and Hard of
20 Hearing, or the Director's designee; **[and]**

21 **(16) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE POLICE AND CORRECTIONAL**
22 **TRAINING COMMISSIONS, OR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE; AND**

23 **[(14) (17)** representatives from any other unit of State government that the
24 Governor designates.

25 7-131.

26 The Board shall:

27 (1) provide ongoing examination of the structure and organization of the
28 State's system of services and support to individuals with disabilities to ensure equal access
29 to support services and resources by individuals with disabilities;

1 (2) facilitate the development of performance objectives that will result in
2 a comprehensive, effective, efficient, and integrated service delivery system for individuals
3 with disabilities;

4 (3) develop an interagency funding approach to maximize efficiencies and
5 streamline access to services and support for individuals with disabilities;

6 (4) formulate policies on legislative issues and, under the direction of the
7 Governor, communicate the policies to the General Assembly; [and]

8 (5) develop the State Disabilities Plan; AND

9 **(6) REVIEW THE CONTENT AND MONITOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF**
10 **THE TRAINING OBJECTIVES AND CURRICULUM ADOPTED BY THE POLICE TRAINING**
11 **COMMISSION FOR A COMMUNITY INCLUSION TRAINING PROGRAM:**

12 **(I) AT LEAST ONCE EVERY 4 YEARS; OR**

13 **(II) MORE FREQUENTLY IF REQUESTED BY THE POLICE**
14 **TRAINING COMMISSION.**

15 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
16 October 1, 2015.