

HOUSE BILL 237

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HB 926/12 – JUD

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Assigned to: Judiciary

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Courts – Prohibition Against Testimony by Convicted Perjurer – Repeal**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing a certain prohibition on a person convicted of perjury from
4 testifying in a proceeding; and generally relating to testimony by a convicted
5 perjurer.

6 BY repealing

7 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

8 Section 9–104

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (2013 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

14 [9–104.

15 A person convicted of perjury may not testify.]

16 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
17 October 1, 2016.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

