

SENATE BILL 632

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ENROLLED BILL

— Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs/Ways and Means —

Introduced by **Senators Kagan, Feldman, King, Lee, Madaleno, Manno, Smith, and Zucker**

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this _____ day of _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ M.

President.

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Election Law – Persons Doing Public Business – Reporting by Governmental**
3 **Entities**

4 FOR the purpose of repealing the requirement that a governmental entity notify the State
5 Board of Elections if a person doing public business with the governmental entity
6 fails to file a statement under a certain provision of law; requiring a governmental
7 entity that has awarded a person a contract that causes the person to be doing public
8 business to provide the State Board with certain information; authorizing the
9 governmental entity to comply with a certain provision of this Act by sending a
10 certain quarterly report to the State Board; requiring that the quarterly report
11 include the required information for certain persons *and be submitted by a certain*
12 *date*; and generally relating to reporting by governmental entities of persons doing
13 public business.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

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

Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 2 Article – Election Law
 3 Section 14–107
 4 Annotated Code of Maryland
 5 (2010 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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

8 **Article – Election Law**

9 14–107.

10 (a) (1) ~~Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, a~~ **A**
 11 governmental entity that has awarded a person a contract that causes the person to be
 12 doing public business shall:

13 (i) require the person to certify that the person has filed the
 14 statement required under § 14–104(b)(1) of this title; and

15 (ii) [notify the State Board if a person doing public business with the
 16 governmental entity fails to file the statement under § 14–104(b)(1) of this title] **PROVIDE**
 17 **THE STATE BOARD WITH THE PERSON’S NAME, ADDRESS, AND ANY OTHER CONTACT**
 18 **INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE STATE BOARD.**

19 **(2) (I) A GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY MAY COMPLY WITH PARAGRAPH**
 20 **(1)(II) OF THIS SUBSECTION BY SENDING TO THE STATE BOARD A QUARTERLY**
 21 **REPORT ON A FORM PROVIDED BY THE STATE BOARD.**

22 ~~**(II) A QUARTERLY REPORT SENT UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF**~~
 23 ~~**THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL INCLUDE THE REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR ANY PERSON**~~
 24 ~~**THAT WAS AWARDED A CONTRACT THAT CAUSED THE PERSON TO BE DOING PUBLIC**~~
 25 ~~**BUSINESS SINCE THE LAST REPORT WAS SENT BY THE GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY.**~~

26 ~~**[(2)] (3) This subsection does not apply to a contract for which notice of**~~
 27 ~~**award has been posted on eMaryland Marketplace.**~~

28 **(II) A QUARTERLY REPORT SENT UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF**
 29 **THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL:**

30 **1. INCLUDE THE REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR ANY**
 31 **PERSON THAT WAS AWARDED A CONTRACT THAT CAUSED THE PERSON TO BE DOING**
 32 **PUBLIC BUSINESS WITH THE GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY DURING THE PRECEDING**
 33 **CALENDAR QUARTER; AND**

