

# HOUSE BILL 436

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By: **Delegates Ali, Morales, and Mosby**  
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Assigned to: Judiciary

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore Police Department – Reporting on Community Policing**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the information required to be in a certain annual report  
4 provided by the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City to the Mayor and City Council  
5 of Baltimore and the members of the Baltimore City Delegation to the General  
6 Assembly; and generally relating to the Baltimore Police Department.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article – Public Safety  
9 Section 3–512  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Public Safety**

15 3–512.

16 (a) On or before February 1 of each year, the Police Commissioner of Baltimore  
17 City shall report the following information concerning the Baltimore Police Department to  
18 the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State  
19 Government Article, the members of the Baltimore City Delegation to the General  
20 Assembly for the previous calendar year:

21 (1) the total number of sworn police officers in the Department;

22 (2) the number of sworn African American police officers in the  
23 Department;

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           **(3) THE NUMBER OF SWORN HISPANIC AMERICAN POLICE OFFICERS**  
2 **IN THE DEPARTMENT;**

3           **[(3)] (4)** the number of sworn female police officers in the Department;  
4 **[and]**

5           **[(4)] (5)** the number of sworn police officers in the Department who are  
6 residents of Baltimore City;

7           **(6) (I) THE NUMBER OF SWORN OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO THE**  
8 **COMMUNITY COLLABORATION DIVISION; AND**

9           **(II) THE FISCAL YEAR BUDGET ALLOCATION FOR THE**  
10 **COMMUNITY COLLABORATION DIVISION;**

11           **[(5)] (7)** the number of recruiting events the Department sponsored or  
12 participated in in Baltimore City;

13           **[(6)] (8)** the number of instances of use of force that resulted in the  
14 transport of a civilian to a hospital by an emergency vehicle, when the injury occurred as a  
15 direct result of an officer's actions;

16           **[(7)] (9)** the number of civilian complaints about the use of force by an  
17 officer;

18           **[(8)] (10)** the number of officers who were suspended with pay;

19           **[(9)] (11)** the number of officers who were suspended without pay;

20           **[(10)] (12)** the percentage of patrol officers who were assigned to  
21 neighborhood patrols;

22           **[(11)] (13)** the number of youth under the age of 18 years referred to  
23 intervention programs by officers; and

24           **[(12)] (14)** a description of the Department's community policing efforts,  
25 including community policing programs, participation in town hall meetings, and efforts to  
26 engage with schools, recreation centers, community centers, and senior centers.

27           (b) The report required under subsection (a) of this section shall be made  
28 available to the public on the Department's **[Web site] WEBSITE.**

29           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
30 October 1, 2018.