

SENATE BILL 608

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CF HB 658

By: **The President**

Introduced and read first time: January 31, 2018

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State House Trust – Duties – Maintenance of Lawyer’s Mall**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the State House Trust to be responsible for the maintenance,
4 including any related construction, of Lawyer’s Mall; requiring the Trust to
5 disapprove or approve and supervise any proposed repair, improvement, or other
6 change to Lawyer’s Mall; providing that the Trust is not required under certain
7 provisions of this Act to be responsible for, or disapprove or approve and supervise,
8 the coordination, security, and scheduling of rallies and other events held on
9 Lawyer’s Mall; and generally relating to the duties of the State House Trust.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article – State Government
12 Section 9–505
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)

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

17 **Article – State Government**

18 9–505.

19 **(A)** In addition to any duties set forth elsewhere, the Trust shall:

20 (1) be responsible for the restoration and preservation of the State House;
21 [and]

22 **(2) BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE, INCLUDING ANY**
23 **RELATED CONSTRUCTION, OF LAWYER’S MALL; AND**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 ~~[(2)]~~ **(3)** disapprove or approve and supervise:

2 (i) any proposed repair, improvement, or other change to the State
3 House or to any other building within State Circle, including any change to the furnishings
4 or fixtures of those buildings; ~~[and]~~

5 (ii) any proposed landscaping of the grounds of those buildings; **AND**

6 **(III) ANY PROPOSED REPAIR, IMPROVEMENT, OR OTHER**
7 **CHANGE TO LAWYER'S MALL.**

8 **(B) THE TRUST IS NOT REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(2) OR (3)(III) OF**
9 **THIS SECTION TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR, OR DISAPPROVE OR APPROVE AND**
10 **SUPERVISE, THE COORDINATION, SECURITY, AND SCHEDULING OF RALLIES AND**
11 **OTHER EVENTS HELD ON LAWYER'S MALL.**

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