

# SENATE BILL 27

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By: **Chair, Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee (By Request  
– Departmental – Maryland State Archives)**

Requested: September 26, 2018

Introduced and read first time: January 9, 2019

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State Archives – Acquisition of Fine Art or Decorative Art – Procurement**  
3 **Exemption**

4 FOR the purpose of exempting the acquisition of certain art by the State Archives from  
5 certain provisions of State procurement law; and generally relating to exemptions  
6 from the procurement law.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article – State Finance and Procurement  
9 Section 11–203(a)(1)(xix)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

15 11–203.

16 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, this Division II does not  
17 apply to:

18 (1) procurement by:

19 (xix) the State Archives for **THE ACQUISITION**, preservation,  
20 conservation, proper care, restoration, and transportation of fine art or decorative art that  
21 is **OR WILL BE**:

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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- 1                                    1.     in the custody of the Commission on Artistic Property; and
- 2                                    2.     owned by or loaned to the State;

3                    SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
4   1, 2019.