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By: Senator Hayes

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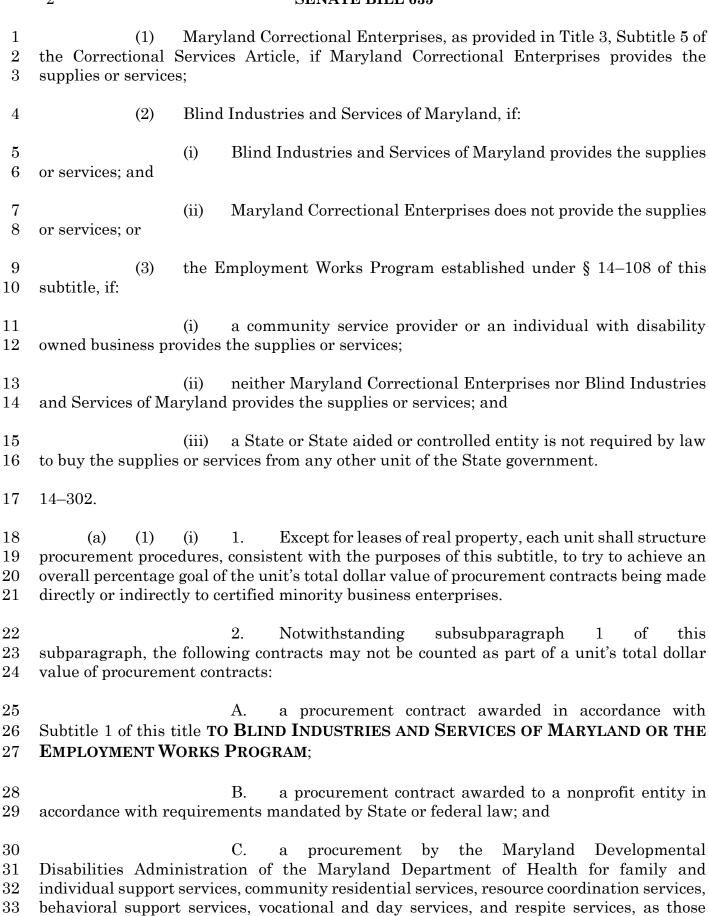
Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN ACT concerning
2 3	Minority Business Enterprises – Calculation of Participation Rates – Exemption for Procurements From Maryland Correctional Enterprises – Repeal
4 5 6 7 8	FOR the purpose of repealing an exemption for certain procurements from Maryland Correctional Enterprises from the calculation of total procurement spending for the purpose of calculating a unit's Minority Business Enterprise Program participation rate; and generally relating to participation in the Maryland Minority Business Enterprise Program.
9 10 11 12 13	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, Article – State Finance and Procurement Section 14–103(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
14 15 16 17 18	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – State Finance and Procurement Section 14–302(a)(1)(i) Annotated Code of Maryland (2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
19 20	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND. That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
21	Article - State Finance and Procurement
22	14–103.
23 24	(a) A State or State aided or controlled entity shall buy supplies and services from:



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terms are defined in regulations adopted by the Maryland Department of Health.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2021.