HOUSE BILL 124

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CHAPTER

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1	AN	ACT	concerning

2 Mandated Reports – Revisions

- 3 FOR the purpose of modifying certain reporting requirements for practicability and
- 4 efficiency; repealing certain reporting requirements that are unnecessary, obsolete,
- 5 duplicative, or inefficient; and generally relating to mandated reports.
- 6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 7 Article Alcoholic Beverages
- 8 Section 2-208(i)(1), 2-209(j)(1), and 2-210(k)(1)
- 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 10 (2016 Volume and 2022 Supplement)
- 11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 12 Article Correctional Services
- 13 Section 3-207(a)(2)
- 14 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 15 (2017 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
- 16 BY repealing
- 17 Article Courts and Judicial Proceedings
- 18 Section 6–313(h)
- 19 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 20 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

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



1 2 3 4 5	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Criminal Procedure Section 10–210(4) and (5) Annotated Code of Maryland (2018 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
6 7	BY repealing Article – Criminal Procedure
8	Section 10–210(6)
9	Annotated Code of Maryland
10	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
11	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
12	Article – Economic Development
13	Section 10-415(b)(1), 10-826(a), and 10-855(g)(2)
14	Annotated Code of Maryland
15	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
16	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
17	Article – Education
18	Section $\frac{7-212(e)(1)}{2}$ and $\frac{2}{3}$, $7-1905(b)$, $12-306(c)(2)$, $15-106.1(f)$, $18-3607(10)$ and
19	(12), 24–207(b)(4)(ii), and 24–703.1(a) <u>24–703.1</u>
20	Annotated Code of Maryland
21	(2022 Replacement Volume)
22	BY repealing
23	Article – Education
24	Section 11–1404, 12–113(d), 18–3009, and 18–3607(11)
25	Annotated Code of Maryland
26	(2022 Replacement Volume)
27	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
28	Article – Election Law
29	Section 2–303(e)(2)
30	Annotated Code of Maryland
31	(2022 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
32	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
33	$\underline{\text{Article}-\text{Environment}}$
34	<u>Section 2–1304</u>
35	Annotated Code of Maryland
36	(2013 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
37	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
38	<u>Article – Environment</u>

1	Section 9-204(n)(5), 9-1605.2(j)(6)(ix) and (k)(1) and (3), 9-1702(e), 9-1702.1(b), and
2	9-1724.1(e)
3	Annotated Code of Maryland
4	(2014 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
5	BY adding to
6	<u>Article – Environment</u>
7	Section $9-1605.2(h)(9)$
8	Annotated Code of Maryland
9	(2014 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
10	BY repealing
11	Article – Health – General
12	Section 2–908(a)(3) and 20–904
13	Annotated Code of Maryland
14	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
15	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
16	Article – Health – General
17	Section 13–1303(d)
18	Annotated Code of Maryland
19	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
20	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
21	Article – Housing and Community Development
22	Section 4–2003(d)
23	Annotated Code of Maryland
24	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
25	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
26	Article – Human Services
27	Section 8–507 and 8–1004(g)
28	Annotated Code of Maryland
29	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
30	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
31	<u> Article – Public Safety</u>
32	Section $1-307(b)(3)$
33	Annotated Code of Maryland
34	(2022 Replacement Volume)
35	BY repealing
36	Article – Public Safety
37	Section 4–1504
38	Annotated Code of Maryland
39	(2022 Replacement Volume)

1	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
2	<u> Article – Real Property</u>
3	<u>Section 8–907</u>
4	Annotated Code of Maryland
5	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
6	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7	Article – State Finance and Procurement
8	Section 7–314(r) and 7–317(i)(2)
9	Annotated Code of Maryland
0	(2021 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
1	BY repealing
2	Article – State Finance and Procurement
13	Section 12–101(b)(6)
4	Annotated Code of Maryland
15	(2021 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
16	BY repealing
17	Article – State Government
18	Section $9-1A-23(d)$
9	Annotated Code of Maryland
20	(2021 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
21	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
22	Article – State Government
23	Section 10–605
24	Annotated Code of Maryland
25	(2021 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
26	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
27	Article – State Personnel and Pensions
28	Section 2–308(f), 22–406(o), and 23–407(o)
29	Annotated Code of Maryland
30	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
31	BY repealing
32	Article – State Personnel and Pensions
33	Section 22–406(n), 23–215.1(c), and 23–407(n)
34	Annotated Code of Maryland
35	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
36	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
37	Article – Tax – General
88	Section 2–107(e)
39	Annotated Code of Maryland
10	(2022 Ranlacament Voluma)

1	BY repealing
2	Chapter 1 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998
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5	Chapter 2 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998
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8	Chapter 597 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2001
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10 11 12	BY repealing Chapter 598 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2001 Section 2
13	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14	Chapter 306 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2004
15	Section 13
16	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
17	Chapter 307 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2004
18	Section 13
19	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
20	Chapter 580 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2007
21	Section 4
22	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
23	Chapter 581 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2007
24	Section 4
25 26 27	BY repealing Chapter 671 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2012 Section 2
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29	Chapter 533 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2013
30	Section 7
31 32 33	BY repealing Chapter 80 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2014 Section 3
34 35	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Alcoholic Beverages

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- 3 (i) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 each year, the Comptroller shall
- 4 report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the
- 5 House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government
- 6 Article, the total beer production of each Class 6 license holder in the preceding fiscal year,
- 7 identified by jurisdiction and license holder.

8 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

- 9 The reporting date is modified to allow the Comptroller and the Alcohol and Tobacco 10 Commission to consolidate reports and to report statistics at the end of the year.
- 11 2–209.
- 12 (j) (1) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 each year, the Comptroller shall
- 13 report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the
- 14 House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government
- 15 Article, on the following, identified by jurisdiction and Class 7 license holder:
- 16 (i) the total beer production of the license holder in the preceding
- 17 fiscal year; and
- 18 (ii) the total sales of the license holder for on–site consumption.
- 19 DRAFTER'S NOTE:
- The reporting date is modified to allow the Comptroller and the Alcohol and Tobacco
- 21 Commission to consolidate reports and to report statistics at the end of the year.
- 22 2–210.
- (k) (1) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 each year, the Commission shall
- 24 report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the
- 25 House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government
- 26 Article, the total beer production of each Class 8 license holder in the preceding fiscal year,
- 27 identified by jurisdiction and license holder.

28 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

- The reporting date is modified to allow the Alcohol and Tobacco Commission to
- 30 consolidate reports and to report statistics at the end of the year.

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- 2 (a) On or before October 31 of each year, the Commissioner shall submit an annual report to the Secretary and the Governor that states, for each correctional facility 4 in the Division:
- 5 (2) the number of inmates and each inmate's age, sex, race, place of [birth 6 and] conviction, crime, and term of confinement;

7 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is modified to reflect that the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services no longer collects inmates' places of birth.

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

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- 12 **[**(h) The Motor Vehicle Administration shall report to the General Assembly on or 13 before January 1 of each year, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, 14 the following information for the preceding calendar year:
- 15 (1) The total number of subpoenas, summonses, and other service of process issued in accordance with the provisions of this section;
- 17 (2) The number of instances in which the Motor Vehicle Administration 18 failed to reach the individual being served and the reasons that those attempts failed;
- 19 (3) A breakdown of all direct and indirect costs incurred by the Motor 20 Vehicle Administration in carrying out the requirements of this section; and
- 21 (4) The total fees collected by the Motor Vehicle Administration from 22 persons requesting service of process under this section.]

23 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The reporting requirement was intended to ensure that requiring the Motor Vehicle Administration to serve as an agent for nonresident drivers for the purpose of service of process was revenue neutral. The fiscal effect of this requirement is well established.

Article - Criminal Procedure

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30 The Advisory Board shall:

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1	(4) monitor the operation of the Criminal Justice Information System; AND
2	(5) recommend:
3 4	(i) procedures and methods for criminal history record information to be used in the research, evaluation, and statistical analysis of criminal activity;
5 6	(ii) any legislation necessary to implement, operate, and maintain the Criminal Justice Information System; and
7 8 9 10	(iii) any legislation for consideration by the Governor and the General Assembly as necessary to implement the recommendations regarding compatibility and interoperability of communication and information management systems maintained by State, county, and municipal public safety units [; and
11 12 13	(6) submit a report on interoperability on or before December 1 of each year to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly].
14	DRAFTER'S NOTE:
15 16 17 18	The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. This section requires the Criminal Justice Information Advisory Board to report on the interoperability of communication and information systems. The Board has not met in 2 years and interoperability is covered by at least two other bodies.
19	Article – Economic Development
20	10–415.
21 22 23 24 25	(b) (1) [On a quarterly basis] ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1 EACH YEAR, BEGINNING IN 2023, AND EVERY 6 MONTHS THEREAFTER, the Corporation shall report to the Governor, the Maryland Economic Development Commission, and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the Joint Audit and Evaluation Committee and the General Assembly.
26	DRAFTER'S NOTE:
27 28	The reporting frequency is modified to still allow frequent review while lessening the administrative burden on the Maryland Technology Development Corporation.

1 (a) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 of each year, the Center shall report to 2 the Governor, the Administration, and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State 3 Government Article, the General Assembly.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

- The reporting date is modified based on the availability of certified public accountants to certify the report.
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8 (g) (2) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 each year, the Center shall report 9 to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the 10 General Assembly on the use of the Fund and outcomes of investments made from the 11 Fund.

12 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting date is modified based on the availability of certified public accountants to certify the report.

15 Article – Education

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- 17 (c) (1) On or before July 1 each year, beginning in 2023 and ending in 2028, 18 each county board shall report to the Maryland [Longitudinal Data System] HIGHER 19 EDUCATION COMMISSION on:
- 20 (i) The number of students who completed and submitted the 21 FAFSA in the immediately preceding school year;
- 22 (ii) The number of students who did not complete and submit the 23 FAFSA in the immediately preceding school year; and
- 24 (iii) The number of students who completed the FAFSA by the 25 deadline for eligibility for State financial aid.
- 26 (3) On or before October 1 each year, beginning in 2023 and ending in 2028,
 27 the Maryland-[Longitudinal Data System] HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION shall
 28 disaggregate the information reported under this subsection and submit a report to the
 29 Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, the House
 30 Appropriations Committee, and the House Committee on Ways and Means, in accordance
 31 with § 2-1257 of the State Government Article.

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1 2 3	the Maryla	ting requirement in this section is modified to alter the reporting entity, as Longitudinal Data System Center advises that the Maryland Higher mission is better suited to handle the reporting requirement.
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5 6 7	(b) County Superfiscal year the	or before September 30 [each] IN EVERY ODD-NUMBERED year, the tendent shall submit to the State Board an evaluation report for the prior includes:
8 9	High School	The academic and career progress of each student enrolled in the LYNX
10 11	and advocat	The level of satisfaction of the students, teachers, parents or guardians, with the LYNX High School; and
12		The LYNX High School's fiscal year financial report.
13	DRAF	R'S NOTE:
14 15		rting frequency is modified to reflect that the Linking Youth to New (NX) High School has been in existence for 6 years.
16	[11–1404.	
17 18 19	(a) similarly sir following ch	e Commission shall compare successful completers of each Program to ted students who did not enroll in either Program with regard to the eteristics:
20		Employment rate;
21		Wage earnings; and
22		Job retention rate.
23 24 25	(b) Governor an Assembly.]	or before December 1, 2021, the Commission shall report its findings to the n accordance with $\S~2-1257$ of the State Government Article, the General

26 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

This section is repealed as obsolete; the study was completed and the report was 27 submitted as required. 28

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1 The Board of Regents shall submit to the Governor, and in accordance with § (d)2 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly, an annual report on: 3 The business entities established in accordance with this section: (1)(2)Funds invested in, and financing provided to, business entities 4 5 established in accordance with this section; 6 Ownership interests in any business entities established in accordance (3)7 with this section; and 8 **(4)** The current status of the business entities. 9 DRAFTER'S NOTE: 10 The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The authority of the University Board of Regents to establish businesses under this section has been in law for 11 12 a number of years and there has been no indication of legislative interest in this report for 13 some time. 14 12 - 306.(c) **(2)** The Executive Director shall: 15 16 (i) Ensure that the provisions of this section are carried out; AND 17 (ii) Develop a plan to appropriately staff UMCEED in order to effectively carry out the duties of UMCEED[; and 18 19 Annually report to the presidents and to the General Assembly, (iii) in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the number of: 20 211. New certificate and degree programs created; 222. University of Maryland graduates who are employed in 23Maryland-based businesses; 243. Patents or other intellectual property created within the 25 new certificate or degree programs; 264. New companies that are developed from the new 27 certificate or degree programs; and 28 New grant or contract funding that is awarded to faculty 5. 29 of the new certificate or degree programs.

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DRAFTER'S NOTE:

1 2 3 4	The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. There has not been any indication of legislative interest in this report in some time and the information reported is available on the website of the University of Maryland Center for Economic and Entrepreneurship Development.
5	15–106.1.
6 7 8 9 10	(f) (1) On or before June 1 of each year, each public institution of higher education in the State shall report to the {Commission} MARYLAND LONGITUDINAL DATA SYSTEM CENTER on the aggregate and disaggregate number of foster care recipients and homeless youth, including data disaggregated by age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, and gender identity, who:
11 12	(i) Received a tuition exemption under this section during the prior academic year;
13 14	(ii) Applied for but did not receive a tuition exemption under this section during the prior academic year and the reason for the denial;
15 16 17	(iii) Previously received a tuition exemption under this section at any point during their enrollment at the institution but did not receive the tuition exemption during the prior academic year and the reason for not continuing to receive the exemption;
18 19	(iv) Earned a bachelor's degree, an associate's degree, or a vocational certificate from the institution during the prior academic year; and
20 21	(v) Filed an appeal in accordance with subsection (e) of this section, including the outcome of each appeal and the reason for each appeal denial.
22 23 24 25	(2) On or before June 1 each year, each public institution of higher education shall submit to the {Commission} MARYLAND LONGITUDINAL DATA SYSTEM CENTER a brief description of any forms used in conjunction with the tuition exemption established under this section.
26 27	(3) On or before September 1 of each year, the [Commission] MARYLAND LONGITUDINAL DATA SYSTEM CENTER shall:
28 29	(i) Compile the reports and documents received in accordance with paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection;

(ii) Submit the compilation of reports and documents to the General Assembly in accordance with \S 2–1257 of the State Government Article; and

1 (iii) Publish the compilation of reports and documents to the 2 Commission's website within 30 days after the date on which the compilation is submitted to the General Assembly.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement in this section is modified to alter the reporting entity, as the Maryland Higher Education Commission advises that the Maryland Longitudinal Data System Center is better suited to handle the reporting requirement repeal the requirement that the Maryland Higher Education Commission compile, submit, and publish the reports compiled under this subsection, as the Maryland Longitudinal Data System Center advises this report duplicates an existing reporting requirement while retaining the Maryland Higher Education Commission's role in collecting this data from the institutions of higher education.

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- 14 (a) At the end of each fiscal year, UMBC shall prepare an annual report that includes an accounting of all financial receipts and expenditures that relate to the Program.
- 16 (b) UMBC shall submit a copy of the report to the General Assembly in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article.]

18 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

- The reporting requirement in this section is repealed as unnecessary. The Maryland Technology Internship Program is well established and there has not been any indication of legislative interest in this report in some time.
- 22 18–3607.
- On or before December 1, 2020, and each December 1 thereafter, the Commission shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on the implementation of the Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship program, including:
- 27 (10) The number of scholarship recipients who received a baccalaureate 28 degree after transferring to a 4–year institution in the State; AND
- [(11) The actual and potential impact of the program on enrollment rates at community colleges and 4-year public institutions in the State; and]
- 31 **[**(12)**] (11)** The outreach activities made by the Commission for the 32 scholarship.

33 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement in this section is modified for practicability to remove the requirement that the report include the actual and potential impact of the Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship program on community colleges and 4—year public institutions. The Maryland Higher Education Commission advises that, due to the methods needed to measure the impact, the annual requirement to report this information cannot be met.

- 7 24-207.
- 8 (b) (4) (ii) The independent certified public accountant shall send copies of 9 each annual audit report to the Commission [and, subject to § 2–1257 of the State 10 Government Article, to the Department of Legislative Services].
- 11 DRAFTER'S NOTE:
- The reporting requirement is modified to remove the requirement to submit the audit reports to the Department of Legislative Services. The Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission posts the reports on its website as required under federal law. As a result, the submission requirement is unnecessary.
- 16 24-703.1.
- 17 (a) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS 18 INDICATED.
- 19 <u>(2) "FOSTER CARE RECIPIENT" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN §</u> 20 15–106.1 OF THIS ARTICLE.
- 21 (3) "HOMELESS YOUTH" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 15–106.1 OF 22 THIS ARTICLE.
- 23 (B) [(1)] The Center shall develop a clear and easy—to—understand graphic data dashboard that is published annually on the Center's website with information, disaggregated by local school system, regarding:
- 26 **[(i)] (1)** The number of students who are dually enrolled under 27 Title 18, Subtitle 14A of this article; and
- [(ii)] (2) The number and course name of the courses in which a student under item [(i)] (1) of this subsection dually enrolls at the high school and at the public institution of higher education.
- [(2) On or before December 15, 2021, and each December 15 thereafter, the Center shall send to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State

- Government Article, the General Assembly a copy of the data dashboard published under this subsection, as the dashboard appeared on the date it is sent.
- [(b)] (C) (1) The Center, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE COMMISSION, shall develop a clear and easy—to—understand graphic data dashboard that is published annually on the Center's website with information[, disaggregated by county,] regarding the experience of [former children in out—of—home placements] FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS
- 6 experience of Iformer children in out—of—home placements] FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS
 7 AND HOMELESS YOUTH and how out—of—home placement affected participation in higher
- 8 education.
- 9 (2) THE INFORMATION IN THE DATA DASHBOARD UNDER THIS
 10 SUBSECTION SHALL BE DISAGGREGATED BY THE COUNTY, AGE, RACE, AND
 11 ETHNICITY OF THE FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS AND HOMELESS YOUTH.
- 12 <u>**[(2)] (3)**</u> The data dashboard required under this subsection shall include 13 information on:
- 14 (i) The rate of enrollment in institutions of higher education by 15 placement;
- 16 <u>(ii) The type of institution of higher education in which [children in out-of-home placements] FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS AND HOMELESS YOUTH are enrolled;</u>
- 19 (iii) The type of financial support provided to [children in out-of-home placements] FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS AND HOMELESS YOUTH enrolled in an institution of higher education, INCLUDING THE NUMBER THAT:
- 22 <u>RECEIVED A TUITION EXEMPTION DURING THE</u> 23 <u>PREVIOUS ACADEMIC YEAR; AND</u>
- 24 <u>2. Previously received a Tuition exemption at</u>
 25 <u>ANY POINT DURING THEIR ENROLLMENT AT THE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER</u>
 26 <u>EDUCATION BUT DID NOT RECEIVE THE TUITION DURING THE PREVIOUS ACADEMIC</u>
 27 YEAR; and
- 28 (iv) The graduation rate for [children in out-of-home placements]
 29 FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS AND HOMELESS YOUTH from institutions of higher
 30 education.
- 131 [(3)] (4) On or before December 15, 2021, and each December 15 thereafter, the Center shall send to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly a copy of the data dashboard published under this subsection, as the dashboard appeared on the date it is sent.

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1 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

This The reporting requirement in the former subsection (a) of this section is repealed as unnecessary. Dual enrollment reporting is well established and publishing the information annually on the Maryland Longitudinal Data System Center website is sufficient. The reporting requirement in former subsection (b) of this section is updated to combine duplicative reporting requirements required of the Maryland Higher Education Commission under § 15–106.1 of the Education Article and the Maryland Longitudinal Data System Center under this section.

Article – Election Law

10 2–303.

11 (e) (2) Upon receipt of the [written] description and map relating to a precinct 12 boundary established during the period described in paragraph (1) of this subsection, the 13 State Administrator shall immediately [forward the documents] SEND THE 14 INFORMATION ELECTRONICALLY to the Secretary of the Department of Planning and 15 the Executive Director of the Department of Legislative Services.

16 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is modified to reflect that, due to changes in technology, the preferred way to receive the precinct boundary information is electronically.

<u> Article – Environment</u>

20 2–1304.

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- 21 (a) On or before [November] **DECEMBER** 15 of each year, the Commission shall report to the Governor and General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on the status of the State's efforts to mitigate the causes of, prepare for, and adapt to the consequences of climate change, including future plans and recommendations for legislation, if any, to be considered by the General Assembly.
- 26 (b) The report due on or before [November] **DECEMBER** 15, 2023, and each subsequent report shall include an analysis, prepared by the Department, of:
- 28 (1) The total amount of State money spent on measures to reduce 29 greenhouse gases and, to the extent practicable, co-pollutants, during the immediately 30 preceding fiscal year; and
- 31 (2) The percentage of that funding that benefited disproportionately 32 affected communities identified according to the methodology adopted by the Department 33 under § 1–702 of this article.
- 34 9–204.

1 2 3 4	(n) (5) [Beginning September 1, 2000] ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31 EACH YEAR, the Department shall [annually] submit, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, a report of the activities undertaken and the progress made in accordance with this section to:
5	(i) The House Environmental Matters Committee; and
6 7	(ii) The Senate Education, [Health] ENERGY, and [Environmental Affairs] THE ENVIRONMENT Committee.
8	9–1605.2.
9 10 11 12	(h) (9) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31 EACH YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2–1257 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE HOUSE ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS COMMITTEE AND THE SENATE EDUCATION, ENERGY, AND THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE ON:
4	(I) EACH PROJECT FUNDED UNDER PARAGRAPH (5)(IV)2 OF THIS SUBSECTION; AND
6	(II) A SUMMARY OF ANY IMPACTS THAT THE FUNDING USED FOR
L7 L8	THESE PROJECTS HAD ON OVERALL FUNDING FOR UPGRADING INDIVIDUAL ON—SITE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS WITH BEST AVAILABLE TECHNOLOGY FOR NITROGEN
9	REMOVAL.
20	(j) (6) The Committee shall:
21	(ix) Beginning January 1, 2006, and every year thereafter] ON OR
	BEFORE DECEMBER 31 EACH YEAR, report to the Governor and, subject to § 2–1257 of
23	the State Government Article, the General Assembly on its findings and recommendations.
24 25	(k) (1) [Each] ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31 EACH year, the Department and the Department of Planning shall jointly report on:
26 27 28 29	(i) The impact that a wastewater treatment facility that was upgraded to enhanced nutrient removal during the calendar year before the previous calendar year with funds from the Bay Restoration Fund had on growth within the municipality or county in which the wastewater treatment facility is located; and
30 31 32	(ii) Each privately owned wastewater facility to which the Department provided funding under subsection (i)(12) of this section in the immediately preceding 12 months and the reasons for providing the funding.

- 1 (3) The Department and the Department of Planning shall submit the
- 2 report required under paragraph (1) of this subsection to the President of the Senate, the
- 3 Speaker of the House, the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, the Senate Education,
- 4 [Health] ENERGY, and [Environmental Affairs] THE ENVIRONMENT Committee, the
- 5 House Appropriations Committee, the House Environment and Transportation Committee,
- 6 and the Governor, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article.
- 7 9–1702.
- 8 (e) [Beginning on January 1, 1990] ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2024, and
- 9 [biannually] EVERY 2 YEARS thereafter, the Office shall, in coordination with the
- 10 Maryland Environmental Service, study and report to the Governor and, subject to §
- 11 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:
- 12 (1) The identification and location of recycling centers, including an
- 13 analysis of existing recycling centers and the need to expand these facilities or construct
- 14 new recycling centers;
- 15 (2) Programs necessary to educate the public on the need to participate in
- 16 recycling efforts;
- 17 (3) The economics and financing of existing and proposed systems of waste
- 18 <u>disposal and recycling</u>;
- 19 <u>State procurement policies for the purchase of recycled materials;</u>
- 20 <u>(5) Programs necessary to reduce the amount of solid waste generated for</u>
- 21 disposal by a State agency or unit;
- 22 (6) The liaison role with local governments, the federal government, and
- 23 the private sector;
- 24 (7) The percentage reduction in the amount of solid waste that has been
- achieved by each county; and
- 26 (8) Economically feasible methods for the recycling of scrap automobile
- 27 tires, batteries, and white goods.
- 28 <u>9–1702.1.</u>
- 29 (b) On or before [September 1] DECEMBER 31 EACH YEAR, BEGINNING IN
- 30 2022, [and each September 1 thereafter,] the annual Maryland solid waste management
- and diversion report required under § 9–204(n) of this title shall include the activities
- 32 <u>conducted under this section.</u>
- 33 9–1724.1.

1 2 3 4	(e) On or before December [1] 31 EACH YEAR, BEGINNING IN 2023, [and each December 1 thereafter,] the Department shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on the implementation of this section, including the impacts on waste diversion in the State.		
5			Article – Health – General
6	2–908.		
7 8 9 10	(a) [(3) On or before December 1, 2020, the Collaborative shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the standards and criteria that a community must meet to establish a rural health complex before the Collaborative approves a rural health complex.]		
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14	13–1303.		
15 16 17 18	School of Nursing and the Advisory Board shall submit a report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly detailing		
19		(i)	The number of individuals served by the Program;
20 21	individuals served	(ii) by the	The type and number of health care services provided to Program;
22 23	partnerships;	(iii)	The establishment and continuation of any public or private
24		(iv)	The funding received from public and private sources;
25		(v)	Funds received through third party reimbursement;
26 27	Program to deliver	(vi) healtl	The condition and maintenance expenses of vehicles used by the care services;
28		(vii)	The areas served by the Program;
29		(viii)	The impact of the Program in the communities served; and
30 31	of the Program.	(ix)	Any recommendations for enhancing or furthering the purposes

1 (2)] The accounts and transactions of the Governor's Wellmobile Program 2 shall be subject to audit by the Legislative Auditor in accordance with §§ 2–1220 through 3 2–1227 of the State Government Article.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The Governor's Wellmobile Program is well established.

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- 8 (a) On or before December 1 of each year, each institution of higher education in 9 the State that offers a program necessary for the licensing of health care professionals in 10 the State shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State 11 Government Article, the General Assembly on the actions taken by the institution to reduce 12 health disparities.
- 13 (b) The Secretary may set standards for the form of the report required under this section.

15 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as obsolete as the institutions of higher education are incorporating training regarding health disparities as part of the structure of the programs and, therefore, the intent of the law is being met.

Article - Housing and Community Development

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(d) [Every 6 months beginning] **ON OR BEFORE** January 1[, 2015] **EACH YEAR**, the Department shall submit a report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on regulations adopted under subsection (a)(5) of this section to increase participation of minority businesses in the Program and the outcome of that effort.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is modified to require that the report be submitted annually, rather than every 6 months. The Department of Housing and Community Development advises that there are no more than three projects under the Energy Efficient Homes Construction Loan Program in any given year, which may result in reports that contain no information.

- 1 8–507.
- 2 (a) (1) The [Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim 3 Services] MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH and the OTHER agencies of the 4 Children's Cabinet, with input from local management boards, local home visiting programs, and the Early Childhood Advisory Council, shall require the recipients of State
- 6 funding for home visiting programs to submit reports to the [Governor's Office of Crime
- 7 Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services] MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH on a
- 8 regular basis.
- 9 (2) Home visiting program reports shall include, at a minimum:
- 10 (i) a verifiable accounting of the State funds spent;
- 11 (ii) the number and demographic characteristics of the individuals
- 12 served; and
- 13 (iii) the outcomes achieved by the home visiting programs.
- 14 (b) The [Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services]
 15 MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH and the OTHER agencies of the Children's
 16 Cabinet shall develop a standardized reporting mechanism for the purpose of collecting
 17 information about and monitoring the effectiveness of State-funded home visiting
 18 programs.
- 19 (c) On or before December 1, 2013, and at least every 2 years thereafter, the 20 [Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services and] MARYLAND 21 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, JOINTLY WITH the OTHER agencies of the Children's 22 Cabinet shall submit a report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State 23 Government Article, the Senate Finance Committee, the House Ways and Means 24 Committee, and the Joint Committee on Children, Youth, and Families on the implementation and outcomes of State-funded home visiting programs.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

- The reporting requirement is modified to alter the reporting entity, as the Maryland Department of Health provides the information to draft the report.
- 29 8-1004.

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30 (g) On or before October 1 of each year, the [Office] **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN**31 **SERVICES**, in coordination with the **OTHER** cooperating departments, shall submit a
32 report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article,
33 to the General Assembly on the progress of implementing the system for outcomes
34 evaluation.

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2 3	The reporting requirement is modified to alter the reporting entity, as the Department of Human Services provides the information for the report.
4	Article - Public Safety
5	<u>1–307.</u>
6 7	(b) The report submitted under subsection (a) of this section shall provide the following information:
8	(3) for the annual reports submitted in [2022] 2023 through [2027] 2028 :
9 10 11	(i) an update on the progress of each county in transitioning to next generation 9–1–1 technology, including compliance with cybersecurity standards and meeting goals of interoperability and geographic information system mapping integration;
12 13	(ii) the following personnel information for each county public safety answering point:
4	1. staffing and vacancy levels;
15 16	<u>a summary of the county's efforts to find, hire, and retain qualified personnel;</u>
17 18	3. an update on training of public safety answering point personnel under § 1–306 of this subtitle; and
19 20	4. <u>incidence of workers' compensation claims by public safety</u> answering point personnel;
21 22 23 24	(iii) an update on audits conducted by the Comptroller of fee collection and remittances, including whether fees collected are sufficient to cover each county's operational costs for the 9–1–1 system and any measures recommended or implemented to address cost shortages;
25	(iv) annual incidents of unnecessary requests for emergency services

28 (v) incidence and interval data relating to 9–1–1 outages or the absence of 9–1–1 specialists to receive requests for emergency services; and

made to 9-1-1 for the purpose of dispatching an unneeded emergency response and any

30 (vi) an update on integration of the 9–1–1 system with 9–8–8 and 31 2–1–1 and the impact on 9–1–1 operations and capacity.

- 1 [4–1504.
- 2 (a) On or before December 31 annually, beginning in 2020, the Department of 3 State Police, Baltimore City, the Department of Juvenile Services, the Department of
- 4 Public Safety and Correctional Services, and the Governor's Office of Crime Prevention,
- 5 Youth, and Victim Services shall each report to the Governor and, in accordance with §
- 6 2-1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the progress made in
- 7 implementing the requirements of this subtitle.
- 8 (b) The Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services shall 9 include in the report required under subsection (a) of this section:
- 10 (1) a description of the activities of each "End the Violence" P.R.O.T.E.C.T.
- 11 Coordinator during the year; and
- 12 (2) the results of any activities or projects completed during the year in
- 13 each micro-zone established under § 4–1502 of this subtitle.]
- 14 DRAFTER'S NOTE:
- The reporting requirement is repealed as obsolete. The P.R.O.T.E.C.T. (Public
- 16 Resources Organizing to End Crime Together) Program has been fully implemented.
- 17 <u>Article Real Property</u>
- 18 8–907.
- On or before August 31 each year, MSLC shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly:
- 21 (1) The number of covered individuals provided legal representation 22 during the previous [calendar] FISCAL year;
- 23 (2) <u>Information on and metrics evaluating case outcomes; and</u>
- 24 (3) A summary of the engagement and education of tenants.
- 25 Article State Finance and Procurement
- 26 7–314.
- 27 (r) [(1)] For fiscal years 2019 through 2021, the Governor shall include in the
- annual budget bill an appropriation of \$5,000,000 to the Account to be used by the
- 29 Department of Commerce to provide conditional loans or grants to companies that meet the
- 30 following criteria:

- 1 [(i)] **(1)** construction of company headquarters in the State with 2 capital expenditures of at least \$500,000,000; and 3 retention of company headquarters in the State with at [(ii)] **(2)** 4 least 3,250 eligible employees, consistent with a letter of intent entered into with the 5 Department of Commerce in October 2016. 6 On or before December 1, 2017, and each December 1 through 2021, the Department of Commerce shall submit a report, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State 7 8 Government Article, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House 9 Appropriations Committee on the compliance of a company with the letter of intent 10 described under paragraph (1)(ii) of this subsection. 11 DRAFTER'S NOTE: 12 The reporting requirement is repealed as obsolete; all the reports were submitted as 13 required. 14 7–317. 15 For each program, project, or activity receiving funds appropriated under 16 subsection (g)(3) of this section, the Governor shall: 17 report annually, subject to § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly no later than [November] **DECEMBER** 1 on: 18 19 total funds expended, by program and subdivision, in the prior 20 fiscal year from the Fund established under this section; and 21the specific outcomes or public benefits resulting from that (ii) 22expenditure. 23 DRAFTER'S NOTE: 24The reporting date is modified to reflect the timing of the receipt of relevant data
- 26 12–101.

27 (b) **[**(6) The Board shall develop and submit to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, an annual report on the procurement system that includes information on actions necessary to improve effective 30 broad–based competition in procurement.]

31 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

from local health departments.

The reporting requirement is repealed as duplicative. This information is also required to be reported by the Procurement Advisor, who is appointed by the Board of Public Works, under § 12–102(a)(2)(ix) of the State Finance and Procurement Article.

4 Article – State Government

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- 6 **[**(d) (1) Within 30 days after the completion of its first year of operations, a video lottery operation licensee in Baltimore City shall:
- 8 (i) compile data on the age, sex, race, and county of residence of its 9 State video lottery employees who worked in the State during the previous year; and
- 10 (ii) submit the data to the Commission.
- 11 (2) Within 3 months after receiving the data required under paragraph (1) of this subsection, the Commission shall submit a report containing the data to the Governor, the Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs, and, subject to § 2–1257 of this article, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates.
- 16 (3) The Commission shall adopt regulations to carry out this subsection.
- 17 DRAFTER'S NOTE:
- The reporting requirements are being repealed as unnecessary. While the requirements were never met, the video lottery operation licensee in Baltimore City has been operating for several years and there is no longer a need for these reports.
- 21 10-605.
- [(a)] On or before July 31 of each year, each department or independent unit shall submit to the Division an annual report on its activities as to the management of its forms during the previous fiscal year.
- [(b) On or before September 1 of each year, the Division shall submit, subject to § 2–1257 of this article, to the General Assembly an annual report that consolidates the reports of the departments and independent units.]
- 28 DRAFTER'S NOTE:
- The reporting requirement is being repealed as unnecessary. There has been no indication of legislative interest in this consolidation report in some time.

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

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- 2 (f) (1) On or before December 1 each year, [each unit of State government, or the principal department in which the unit is located,] THE DEPARTMENT shall report to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on the number of eligible and participating employees in the applicable telework program established under subsection (c) of this section.
- 8 (2) EACH APPROPRIATE OFFICIAL SHALL SUBMIT TO THE 9 DEPARTMENT ANY INFORMATION THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES IS NECESSARY 10 TO COMPLETE THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS 11 SUBSECTION.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The report requirement is modified for efficiency to require that one report be submitted by the Department of Budget and Management, rather than one from each unit of State government or principal department in which the unit is located, and to require that the appropriate officials submit any information to the Department that it needs to complete the report.

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- [(n) On or before October 1 of each year, the Board of Trustees shall submit a report for the previous calendar year to the Joint Committee on Pensions, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, that provides:
- 22 (1) the number of individuals in each local school system that the Board of 23 Trustees and the State Department of Education agree were rehired and did not satisfy the 24 criteria provided in subsection (c)(4)(v) or (vi) and (5), (6), or (8) of this section; and
- 25 (2) any reimbursements a local school system made under subsection 26 (c)(9)(iv) of this section.]
- [(o)] (N) On or before September 1 of each year, the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services shall submit a report in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article to the Joint Committee on Pensions that provides:
- 30 (1) the number of rehired retirees under subsection (c)(4)(x) of this section;
- 31 (2) the annual salary of each rehired retiree at the time of retirement and 32 the current annual salary of each rehired retiree;
- 33 (3) the number of parole and probation employees hired who are not 34 retirees; and

1 **(4)** the annual salary of each parole and probation employee who is hired. 2 DRAFTER'S NOTE: 3 The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The State Retirement Agency advises that it has penalized only one school in 10 years. 4 5 23-215.1.6 (c) On or before October 1 of each year, the Board of Trustees shall submit a 7 report in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article to the Joint Committee 8 on Pensions that provides the number of members described under subsection (a) of this 9 section who were: 10 rehired in the preceding fiscal year into a position included in the (1) Employees' Pension System or Teachers' Pension System; and 11 participating in the Alternate Contributory Pension Selection. 12(2) 13 DRAFTER'S NOTE: 14 This reporting requirement is repealed because current pension law renders the 15 report obsolete. 23-407. 16 17 On or before October 1 of each year, the Board of Trustees shall submit a 18 report for the previous calendar year to the Joint Committee on Pensions, in accordance 19 with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, that provides: 20 the number of individuals in each local school system that the Board of 21 Trustees and the State Department of Education agree were rehired and did not satisfy the criteria provided in subsection (c)(4)(iv) or (v) and (5), (6), or (8) of this section; and 22 23any reimbursements a local school system made under subsection 24(c)(9)(iv) of this section. 25On or before September 1 of each year, the Secretary of Public Safety [(o)] **(N)** 26 and Correctional Services shall submit a report in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article to the Joint Committee on Pensions that provides: 27 28 the number of rehired retirees under subsection (c)(4)(viii) of this (1)

30 (2) the annual salary of each rehired retiree at the time of retirement and 31 the current annual salary of each rehired retiree;

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- the number of parole and probation employees hired who are not retirees; and

 the annual salary of each parole and probation employee who is hired.
- 4 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The State Retirement Agency advises that it has penalized only one school in 10 years.

Article - Tax - General

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- 9 (e) On or before [October] **DECEMBER** 1 each year, the Executive Director of the 10 Alcohol and Tobacco Commission shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with \$2-1257 of the State Government Article, on:
- 12 (1) the aggregate number of licensed tobacco retailers that committed a violation of § 10–107 of the Criminal Law Article and the aggregate number of minors who committed a violation of § 10–107 of the Criminal Law Article during the reporting period;
- 15 (2) the number of prior violations for licensed tobacco retailers and minors 16 that committed a violation during the reporting period; and
- 17 (3) the subsequent action taken by the Executive Director against each violator and, for each action taken, the number of violations committed by the violator.

19 DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting date is modified to allow the Alcohol and Tobacco Commission to consolidate reports and to report statistics at the end of the year.

Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1998

[SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Motor Vehicle Administrator shall report to the General Assembly on or before December 31 of each year, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the total number of driver's licenses and identification cards issued by the Motor Vehicle Administration, the number of driver's licenses and identification cards on which a donor designation is noted under § 12–303 of the Transportation Article, and the number of 16 and 17 year old minors who are designated as donors.]

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[SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Motor Vehicle Administrator shall report to the General Assembly on or before December 31 of each year, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the total number of driver's licenses and identification cards issued by the Motor Vehicle Administration, the number of driver's licenses and identification cards on which a donor designation is noted under § 12–303 of the Transportation Article, and the number of 16 and 17 year old minors who are designated as donors.]

DRAFTER'S NOTES:

The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The inclusion of organ donation designations on driver's licenses is well established.

Chapter 597 of the Acts of 2001

[SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That within 90 days following the end of each fiscal year the Maryland Technology Development Corporation shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the activities of the Maryland Technology Incubator Program during the previous fiscal year and anticipated activities for the following fiscal year.]

Chapter 598 of the Acts of 2001

[SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, within 90 days following the end of each fiscal year, the Maryland Technology Development Corporation shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the activities of the Maryland Technology Incubator Program during the previous fiscal year and anticipated activities for the following fiscal year.]

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as duplicative. The Maryland Technology Development Corporation is required to submit an annual report of its activities and information regarding the Maryland Technology Incubator Program is included in that report.

Chapter 306 of the Acts of 2004

SECTION 13. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Public School Construction Program shall provide assistance to Baltimore City, counties, and local education agencies in using alternative financing mechanisms to fund school construction, when appropriate. The Public School Construction Program shall prepare a guide for Baltimore City, counties, and local education agencies to use when evaluating alternative financing proposals. The guide should include model contracts, model solicitations, and references to other documents which provide information on alternative financing. The Public School Construction Program should help Baltimore City, counties, and local

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- for a particular project and to develop the procurement, contractual, and technical
- 3 instruments that will meet State and local procurement requirements and bring the project
- 4 to a successful conclusion. [The Public School Construction Program shall report to the
- Board of Public Works, Baltimore City, the county governments, local education agencies, 5
- 6 and the General Assembly on or before September 1 of each year, in accordance with §
- 7 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the use of alternative financing mechanisms to
- 8 finance public school construction in Maryland in the prior fiscal year.

Chapter 307 of the Acts of 2004

SECTION 13. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Public School Construction Program shall provide assistance to Baltimore City, counties, and local education agencies in using alternative financing mechanisms to fund school construction, when appropriate. The Public School Construction Program shall prepare a guide for Baltimore City, counties, and local education agencies to use when evaluating alternative financing proposals. The guide should include model contracts, model solicitations, and references to other documents which provide information on alternative financing. The Public School Construction Program should help Baltimore City, counties, and local education agencies identify when an alternative financing mechanism may be appropriate for a particular project and to develop the procurement, contractual, and technical instruments that will meet State and local procurement requirements and bring the project to a successful conclusion. [The Public School Construction Program shall report to the Board of Public Works, Baltimore City, the county governments, local education agencies, and the General Assembly on or before September 1 of each year, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the use of alternative financing mechanisms to finance public school construction in Maryland in the prior fiscal year.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as inefficient as the report is rarely used.

Chapter 580 of the Acts of 2007

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, the Public Service Commission, with input from the Office of the Attorney General and the Office of People's Counsel, shall track the number of consumer complaints received by those State agencies regarding the provision of VoIP services in Maryland, including consumer complaints related to service outages, terminations without consumer consent, poor service, or billing disputes. If, at any time, the Commission determines that additional consumer protections may be necessary for the public interest based on consumer complaints or that a substantial number of consumers lack alternatives for voice service, including regulated voice services offered under Commission-approved tariffs or VoIP service offered by other providers, the Commission on its own initiative may report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.]

Chapter 581 of the Acts of 2007

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, the Public Service Commission, with input from the Office of the Attorney General and the Office of People's Counsel, shall track the number of consumer complaints received by those State agencies regarding the provision of VoIP services in Maryland, including consumer complaints related to service outages, terminations without consumer consent, poor service, or billing disputes. [If, at any time, the Commission determines that additional consumer protections may be necessary for the public interest based on consumer complaints or that a substantial number of consumers lack alternatives for voice service, including regulated voice services offered under Commission—approved tariffs or VoIP service offered by other providers, the Commission on its own initiative may report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.]

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

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The reporting requirement is repealed as unnecessary. The Public Service Commission advises that voice over Internet protocol (VoIP) services are no longer emergent and most land—line type services are now VoIP—based.

Chapter 671 of the Acts of 2012

[SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before December 1, 2012, universities, colleges, and higher education programs of medicine, nursing, pharmacy, dentistry, social work, public health, and allied health in the State shall report, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, the House Health and Government Operations Committee, and the Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities on the courses that have been developed independently by the colleges, universities, and higher education programs or through a collaboration with the Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities under § 20–1004(15) of the Health – General Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act.]

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

The reporting requirement is repealed as obsolete. While the report was never submitted, the universities, colleges, and higher education programs have been incorporating cultural competency and health literacy courses into their programs.

Chapter 533 of the Acts of 2013

[SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, by December 1 of each year, the Maryland Higher Education Commission shall submit to the Department of Legislative Services de—identified data in compliance with the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act that is collected from institutions of higher education and submitted to Complete College America.]

1	DRAFTER'S NOTE:
2 3 4	The reporting requirement is repealed as obsolete. According to the Maryland Higher Education Commission, the data is no longer collected because the mission of Complete College America has changed.
5	Chapter 80 of the Acts of 2014
6 7 8 9	[SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That beginning December 1, 2015, the Department of the Environment shall submit a report each year, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the House Environmental Matters Committee and the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, on:
10 11	(1) each project funded under § 9–1605.2(h)(5)(iv)2 of the Environment Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act; and
12 13 14	(2) a summary of any impacts that the funding used for these projects had on overall funding for upgrading individual on—site sewage disposal systems with best available technology for nitrogen removal.]
15 16	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2023.
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	Governor.
	Speaker of the House of Delegates.
	President of the Senate.