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By: **Delegates Jackson, Allen, and Bhandari** Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2023 Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

## A BILL ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT concerning
- 2 State Designations Symbol of Remembrance for September 11 Freedom Flag
- 3 FOR the purpose of designating the Freedom Flag as the State symbol of remembrance for
- 4 the attacks of September 11; and generally relating to a State symbol of
- 5 remembrance for the attacks of September 11.
- 6 BY renumbering
- 7 Article General Provisions
- 8 Section 7–318
- 9 to be Section 7–319
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
- 12 BY adding to
- 13 Article General Provisions
- 14 Section 7–318
- 15 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 16 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)
- 17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
- 18 That Section(s) 7–318 of Article General Provisions of the Annotated Code of Maryland
- 19 be renumbered to be Section(s) 7–319.
- 20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read
- 21 as follows:
- 22 Article General Provisions
- 23 **7–318.**

- THE FREEDOM FLAG, DESIGNED AND CREATED BY RICHARD NICHOLAS
  MELITO OF RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, TO MEMORIALIZE THE VICTIMS OF THE EVENTS
  OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2001, IS THE STATE SYMBOL OF REMEMBRANCE FOR THE
  ATTACKS OF SEPTEMBER 11.
- 5 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 6 October 1, 2023.