

# SENATE BILL 723

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By: **Chair, Budget and Taxation Committee (By Request – Departmental – Assessments and Taxation)**

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Corporations and Associations – Electronic Copies Fee – Repeal**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing a certain per–page fee for electronic copies of certain  
4 documents recorded or filed with the State Department of Assessments and  
5 Taxation; and generally relating to the collection of fees by the State Department of  
6 Assessments and Taxation.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
8 Article – Corporations and Associations  
9 Section 1–203(a)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Article – Corporations and Associations  
14 Section 1–203(b)(6)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)

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

19 **Article – Corporations and Associations**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

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



1 1-203.

2 (a) In addition to any organization and capitalization fee required under § 1-204  
3 of this subtitle, subject to subsection (c) of this section, the Department shall collect the fees  
4 specified in subsection (b) of this section.

5 (b) (6) For a duplicate of a certificate mentioned in paragraph (5) of this  
6 subsection which is issued at the same time as the original, the fee is \$1, and for a  
7 **NONELECTRONIC** copy of any other paper recorded or filed with the Department, the fee  
8 is \$1 per page.

9 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
10 October 1, 2023.

Approved:

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Governor.

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President of the Senate.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.