

May 7, 2020

To the Members of the General Assembly

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On May 7, 2020, the Honorable Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr., Governor, vetoed the following pieces of legislation passed by the General Assembly; the reasons for the vetoes are indicated:

SB 148
Policy

Senator Young

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS – LAND ACQUISITION – REQUIREMENTS

Prohibiting the Board of Public Works from approving the acquisition of certain real property with an appraised value of at least \$500,000 unless the Board has provided the Legislative Policy Committee with certain information; prohibiting the Board from approving the acquisition of real property with an appraised value of at least \$500,000 from the federal government until the Board provides a certain notice and, on a certain request, a study assessing the ongoing fiscal impact the acquisition would have on the State; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 125
Policy

Delegate Healey

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS – LAND ACQUISITION – REQUIREMENTS

Prohibiting the Board of Public Works from approving the acquisition of certain real property with an appraised value of at least \$500,000 unless the Board has provided the Legislative Policy Committee with certain information; prohibiting the Board from approving the acquisition of real property with an appraised value of at least \$500,000 from the federal government until the Board provides a certain notice and, on a certain request, a study assessing the ongoing fiscal impact the acquisition would have on the State; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 184
Policy

Senator Lam, et al

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE – STUDY ON THE HEALTH EFFECTS OF AIR TRAFFIC NOISE

Requiring the University of Maryland, Baltimore to study the health effects of air traffic noise on communities near Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport since the implementation of the Next Generation Air Transportation System; requiring the study to evaluate health outcomes and certain costs; requiring the Governor to provide in the 2022 budget at least \$100,000 for the study; requiring a report be submitted by September 1, 2022, to the Governor, the General Assembly, and certain county executives and councils; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

HB 310
Policy

Delegate Hill, et al

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE – STUDY ON THE HEALTH EFFECTS OF AIR TRAFFIC NOISE

Requiring the University of Maryland, Baltimore to study the health effects of air traffic noise on communities near Baltimore–Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport since the implementation of the Next Generation Air Transportation System; requiring the study to evaluate health outcomes, and certain costs; requiring the Governor to provide in the 2022 budget bill at least \$100,000 for the study; requiring a report be submitted by September 1, 2022, to the Governor, the General Assembly, and certain county executives and councils; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 208
Policy

Senator Lee, et al

PUBLIC SAFETY – RIFLES AND SHOTGUNS – SALES, RENTALS, AND TRANSFERS

Providing that a person who is not a certain licensee may not complete a sale, rental, or transfer of a certain rifle or shotgun as a purchaser, lessee, or transferee or seller, lessor, or transferor, except under certain circumstances; requiring, before a certain sale, rental, or transfer is conducted, the seller, lessor, or transferor and purchaser, lessee, or transferee to both request that a certain licensee facilitate the sale, rental, or transfer; establishing certain penalties for violations of the Act; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

HB 4
Policy

Delegate Atterbeary

PUBLIC SAFETY – RIFLES AND SHOTGUNS – SALES, RENTALS, AND TRANSFERS

Providing that a person who is not a certain licensee may not complete the sale, rental, or transfer of a certain rifle or shotgun as a purchaser, lessee, or transferee, except under certain circumstances; requiring, before a certain sale, rental, or transfer is conducted, the seller, lessor, or transferor and purchaser, lessee, or transferee to request that a certain licensee facilitate the sale, rental, or transfer; authorizing a seller, lessor, or transferor to deliver a rifle or shotgun in a certain manner; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 226
Policy

Senator Waldstreicher

HIGHWAYS – PROHIBITION ON OUTDOOR SIGNS ALONG EXPRESSWAYS – MODIFICATION

Modifying a certain prohibition against the erection or maintenance of outdoor signs along or near expressways.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 261
Duplicative

Senator Bailey

ST. MARY'S COUNTY – PUBLIC FACILITIES BOND

Authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County to borrow not more than \$33,000,000 in order to finance the construction, improvement, or development of certain public facilities in St. Mary's County, and to effect such borrowing by the issuance and sale at public or private sale of its general obligation bonds; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 300
Policy

Senator Lam, et al

PESTICIDES – USE OF CHLORPYRIFOS – PROHIBITION

Prohibiting the aerial application of chlorpyrifos on or after October 1, 2020; prohibiting the use of chlorpyrifos in the State on or after December 31, 2020; establishing the Pesticide Transition Fund to support Maryland farmers in the transition away from the use of chlorpyrifos and to support the work of the Pesticide Transition Task Force, including research on integrated pest management and implementation of the State’s plan to transition away from the use of chlorpyrifos; establishing the Pesticide Transition Task Force; etc.
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 314
Policy

Senators Sydnor and Carter

JUVENILES CHARGED AS ADULTS – CONFIDENTIALITY OF RECORDS

Establishing that certain provisions of law relating to confidentiality of juvenile records apply to all police records and court records concerning a child excluded from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court under a certain provision of law from the time of the child’s arrest until a certain event occurs; establishing that, if a case is transferred to the juvenile court, certain provisions of law relating to confidentiality of juvenile records continue to apply and a certain criminal charge is subject to expungement; etc.
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 398
Policy

Senator Feldman, et al

MARYLAND SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Establishing the Maryland Small Business Innovation Research and Technology Transfer Incentive Program to foster job creation and economic development in the State by promoting the commercialization of research, facilitating the transfer of certain technology, and encouraging small businesses to apply for certain grants; establishing qualifications for participation in the Program; authorizing the Program to provide certain awards and investments to certain businesses, subject to certain limitations; etc.
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 514
Policy

Delegate Qi, et al

MARYLAND SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Establishing the Maryland Small Business Innovation Research and Technology Transfer Incentive Program to foster job creation and economic development in the State by promoting commercialization of research, facilitating technology transfer, and encouraging small business participation; requiring the Maryland Technology Development Corporation to administer the Program; establishing qualifications for participation in the Program; authorizing the Program to provide certain competitive awards and investments to certain businesses; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 407
Policy

Senator Kramer, et al

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL – SENIOR AND VULNERABLE ADULT ASSET RECOVERY UNIT

Establishing the Senior and Vulnerable Adult Asset Recovery Unit in the Office of the Attorney General for the purpose of protecting seniors and vulnerable adults from financial crimes under § 8–801 of the Criminal Law Article; authorizing the Unit to bring civil actions for damages against certain persons; requiring the Governor, beginning in fiscal year 2022, to appropriate at least \$250,000 for the Unit; requiring the Unit to use the funds to hire new staff and investigate and assist the Unit in bringing civil actions; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 452
Policy

Senator McCray, et al

FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM – TEMPORARY CASH ASSISTANCE – FUNDING

Requiring the Governor to provide sufficient funds in the budget to ensure that the value of temporary cash assistance, combined with federal food stamps, is equal to at least 61% of the State minimum living level beginning in fiscal year 2021 and for fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, 61.25% of the State minimum living level.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 465
Policy

Senator Guzzone, et al

MARYLAND E-NOVATION INITIATIVE PROGRAM AND
ADMISSIONS AND AMUSEMENT TAX DISTRIBUTIONS –
EXTENSIONS AND ALTERATIONS

Extending and altering through fiscal year 2026 the Maryland E-Nnovation Initiative Program; requiring the Governor to include in the annual budget bill an amount that when combined with the amount estimated to be distributed to the E-Nnovation Initiative Fund under certain provisions of law equals at least \$8,500,000; altering certain requirements for certain individuals in certain positions funded by certain endowment proceeds; altering the distribution of certain revenue; providing certain contingencies; etc.
CONTINGENT – EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 493
Policy

Senator Elfreth, et al

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER NETWORK FUND
– MINIMUM APPROPRIATION

Increasing the required minimum appropriation for the Small Business Development Center Network Fund from \$950,000 to \$1,150,000 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021.
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 524
Policy

Senator Elfreth, et al

BUILDING LIFELONG LIBRARY LEARNERS ACT

Prohibiting a public library from charging a fine for overdue library materials on a minor's library materials; prohibiting a public library from charging a fee for a minor's overdue library materials until 21 days after the date the materials were due; requiring a public library to cancel or return a fee if a book is returned; requiring the Governor to include \$7,500,000 in fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter in the annual operating or capital budget for county library capital projects; etc.
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 1000
Policy

Delegate Ebersole, et al

BUILDING LIFELONG LIBRARY LEARNERS ACT

Prohibiting a public library from charging a fine for overdue library materials on a minor's library materials; prohibiting a public library from charging a replacement fee for a minor's overdue library materials until 21 days after the date the materials were due; requiring a public library to cancel a fee if a minor's overdue materials are returned; requiring the Governor to include \$7,500,000 in fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter in the annual operating or capital budget for county library capital projects; etc.
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 669
Policy

The President (By Request – Prescription Drug Affordability Board)

PUBLIC HEALTH – PRESCRIPTION DRUG AFFORDABILITY BOARD AND FUND

Repealing certain provisions of law requiring the Prescription Drug Affordability Board to determine a certain funding source by December 31, 2020; requiring the Board to assess and collect a certain fee from certain persons in a certain manner; requiring the Board to calculate a certain fee in a certain manner; requiring entities assessed a certain fee to pay a the fee on or before October 1 each year; establishing the Prescription Drug Affordability Fund as a special, nonlapsing fund; etc.
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 1095
Policy

The Speaker (By Request – Prescription Drug Affordability Board), et al

PUBLIC HEALTH – PRESCRIPTION DRUG AFFORDABILITY BOARD AND FUND

Repealing certain provisions of law requiring the Prescription Drug Affordability Board to determine a certain funding source by December 31, 2020; requiring the Board to assess and collect a certain fee from certain persons in a certain manner; requiring the Board to calculate a certain fee in a certain manner; requiring entities assessed a certain fee to pay the fee on or before October 1 each year; establishing the Prescription Drug Affordability Fund as a special, nonlapsing fund; etc.
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 684

Policy

Senator Washington, et al

**CORRECTIONAL SERVICES – PRERELEASE UNIT FOR WOMEN
– FACILITIES AND SERVICES (GENDER–RESPONSIVE
PRERELEASE ACT)**

Requiring the Commissioner of the Division of Correction to operate a comprehensive rehabilitative prerelease facility for female inmates; requiring that a certain prerelease facility be located in an area, defined by the zip codes where the largest percentage of inmates will likely be released; requiring the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to complete certain phases of a certain project by certain dates; requiring the Commissioner to provide evidence–based and gender–responsive prerelease services certain inmates; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 708

Policy

Senator Carter

**MARYLAND VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION
PROGRAM FUND AND ADVISORY COUNCIL – ALTERATIONS**

Altering the required uses for certain funds appropriated for Safe Streets Initiatives in Baltimore City; altering the maximum amount of a grant for a certain Safe Streets Initiative; requiring the Governor to annually include in the annual budget bill at least \$3,000,000 in general funds to the Maryland Violence Intervention and Prevention Program Fund; authorizing the Fund to be used for oversight of the Fund, public outreach and education, and technical assistance and best practice education for grantees; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 796

Policy

Senator Guzzone

**DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES ADMINISTRATION –
PROGRAM CHANGES AND REQUIRED REPORTS**

Requiring the Maryland Department of Health to ensure that providers of and individuals who receive certain services are not negatively impacted when using a certain software system or function; requiring that an individual receiving certain services who receives a certain notice have 90 days to appeal a certain eligibility determination; requiring certain services to continue uninterrupted under certain circumstances until the outcome of a certain appeal is complete; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 845
Policy

Senators Ferguson and Hettleman

**HIGHER EDUCATION – MARYLAND CORPS PROGRAM FUND –
ALTERATIONS**

Expanding the purpose and authorized uses of the Maryland Corps Program Fund to include covering expenses incurred to study certain matters and providing funding to match certain gifts or grants; requiring, in fiscal year 2021 and each fiscal year thereafter, funds for the Maryland Corps Program to be as provided in the State budget to cover certain additional expenses; and requiring, for fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, the Governor to include in the annual budget bill an appropriation of \$150,000 to the Fund.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

SB 877
Policy

Senators Feldman and Hershey

**UNDERGROUND FACILITIES DAMAGE PREVENTION –
REVISION**

Revising provisions relating to the Maryland Underground Facilities Damage Prevention Authority; altering the application and scope of certain provisions relating to underground facilities and damage prevention; requiring certain newly installed underground facilities to be detectable or locatable after October 1, 2021; requiring certain previously detectable or locatable facilities to be restored to a certain status after a certain date; altering the qualifications of certain members of the Authority; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 907
Policy

Senator Smith, et al

**PUBLIC SAFETY – CRIME PLAN AND LAW ENFORCEMENT
COUNCILS (MARYLAND STATE CRIME PLAN)**

Establishing the Law Enforcement Coordinating Council to prevent and reduce crime by coordinating and focusing State resources and ensuring interagency communication and intelligence-sharing; requiring the Council to prepare a certain comprehensive crime plan for the State or for each region of the State; requiring the Council to meet twice each year; requiring the Governor, or a designee, to attend at least one Council meeting each year; requiring the Council to submit an annual report to the Governor and the General Assembly; etc.

EMERGENCY BILL

SB 929

Policy

Senator Hayes, et al

PUBLIC SAFETY – BALTIMORE CITY – P.R.O.T.E.C.T. (PUBLIC RESOURCES ORGANIZING TO END CRIME TOGETHER) PROGRAM

Authorizing certain employees of certain State law enforcement agencies to enforce certain motor vehicle laws within Baltimore City under a certain memorandum of understanding; establishing the P.R.O.T.E.C.T. (Public Resources Organizing to End Crime Together) Program to maximize the use of available resources to combat neighborhood decline and support strategies to reduce crime in Baltimore City and the State; requiring the Department of Juvenile Services to submit a certain report to certain committees; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

SB 985

Policy

Senator Hester, et al

CERTIFIED LOCAL FARM ENTERPRISE PROGRAM AND CERTIFIED LOCAL FARM ENTERPRISE FOOD AGGREGATION GRANT FUND – ESTABLISHMENT

Establishing the Office for the Certified Local Farm Enterprise Program in the Department of Agriculture; establishing the Certified Local Farm Enterprise Program in the Office to encourage certain units to try to achieve an overall percentage goal of 20% of the unit's total dollar value of procurement contracts for food from certain certified local farm enterprises; establishing a Certified Local Farm Enterprise Food Aggregation Grant Fund; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

HB 1488

Policy

Delegate Charkoudian, et al

CERTIFIED LOCAL FARM ENTERPRISE PROGRAM AND CERTIFIED LOCAL FARM ENTERPRISE FOOD AGGREGATION GRANT FUND – ESTABLISHMENT

Establishing the Office for the Certified Local Farm Enterprise Program in the Department of Agriculture; establishing the Certified Local Farm Enterprise Program in the Office to encourage certain units to try to achieve an overall percentage goal of 20% of the unit's total dollar value of procurement contracts for food from certain certified local farm enterprises; establishing a Certified Local Farm Enterprise Food Aggregation Grant Fund; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2020

SB 1065

Policy

Senator King

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – BALTIMORE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA – FUNDING AND REPORTING

Requiring the Governor to appropriate certain amounts of money to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in fiscal years 2022 through 2026; requiring the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra to submit certain reports to the Governor and certain committees of the General Assembly on or before October 15 each year, beginning in 2022 and for the next 4 years; and repealing the termination of a certain provision of law requiring the Governor to appropriate a certain amount of money to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in fiscal years 2020 and 2021.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 1658

Policy

Delegate McIntosh, et al

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – BALTIMORE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA – FUNDING AND REPORTING

Requiring the Governor to appropriate certain amounts of money to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in fiscal years 2022 through 2026; requiring the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra to submit certain reports to the Governor and certain committees of the General Assembly on or before October 15 each year, beginning in 2022 and for the next 4 years; and repealing the termination of a certain provision of law requiring the Governor to appropriate a certain amount of money to the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in fiscal years 2020 and 2021.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 83

Policy

Delegate Moon, et al

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE – CHARGE OF POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA – REMOVAL FROM CASE SEARCH

Prohibiting the Maryland Judiciary Case Search from in any way referring to the existence of a District Court criminal case in which possession of marijuana is the only charge in the case and the charge was disposed of before October 1, 2014.

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2021

HB 86
Policy

Delegate Korman

**TRANSPORTATION – MARYLAND METRO/TRANSIT FUNDING
ACT – ALTERATIONS**

Altering certain provisions of law related to the calculation of a certain budget increase for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; and altering the information that the Authority must submit to the Department of Transportation as part of its yearly performance and condition assessments and reports to include certain single audit reports issued in accordance with certain requirements.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 498
Policy

Delegate Hill, et al

**DEPARTMENT OF AGING – GRANTS FOR AGING-IN-PLACE
PROGRAMS – FUNDING**

Requiring the Governor to include in the annual budget bill an appropriation of at least \$100,000 for grants to certain nonprofit organizations and area agencies on aging to expand and establish aging-in-place programs for seniors; requiring at least 20% of the appropriated funding be used to support senior villages; and altering the definition of “aging-in-place program” to include programs that enable individuals to not only remain in their own home but to safely participate in a community regardless of age, income or ability level.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 645
Duplicative

Carroll County Delegation

CARROLL COUNTY – PUBLIC FACILITIES BOND

Authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Carroll County, from time to time, to borrow not more than \$38,250,000 in order to finance the construction, improvement, or development of certain public facilities in Carroll County, including water and sewer projects, to finance loans for fire or emergency-related equipment, buildings, and other facilities of volunteer fire departments in the County, and to effect such borrowing by the issuance and sale at public or private sale of its general obligation bonds; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 732

Policy

Delegates Luedtke and Pena–Melnik

TAXATION – TOBACCO TAX, SALES AND USE TAX, AND DIGITAL ADVERTISING GROSS REVENUES TAX

Increasing certain tax rates on cigarettes and other tobacco products; imposing a sales and use tax rate of 12% on electronic smoking devices; requiring the Governor to include at least \$18,250,000 in the annual budget for fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter for certain smoking cessation activities; requiring the Comptroller to distribute certain revenue attributable to certain taxes to The Blueprint for Maryland’s Future Fund; imposing a tax on certain revenues from certain digital advertising services in the State; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 737

Policy

Delegate Anderton, et al

LOCAL GOVERNMENTS – INCOME TAX DISPARITY GRANTS – AMOUNTS

Altering the calculation of certain income tax disparity grants to counties and Baltimore City under certain circumstances and for certain fiscal years; and repealing a certain termination provision.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 783

Duplicative

Calvert County Delegation

CALVERT COUNTY – PUBLIC FACILITIES BOND

Authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Calvert County, from time to time, to borrow not more than \$36,881,848 to finance the construction, improvement, or development of certain public buildings, roads, and facilities in Calvert County, as herein defined, and to effect such borrowing by the issuance and sale at public or private sale of its general obligation bonds in like par amount; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 932
Policy

Delegate Korman

21ST-CENTURY ECONOMY FAIRNESS ACT

Requiring the Comptroller to distribute the sales and use tax revenue from certain digital products to The Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund; defining "digital product" as one that is obtained by the buyer or delivered electronically; applying the sales and use tax to a sale or use of certain digital products; providing that the retail sale of a certain digital code or digital product shall be presumed to be made in the state in which a certain customer tax address is located; stating the intent of the General Assembly; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 1121
Policy

Delegate Pena-Melnyk, et al

MARYLAND MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER REGISTRY AND REFERRAL SYSTEM

Establishing the Maryland Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Registry and Referral System in the Maryland Department of Health to provide a statewide system through which health care providers can identify and access available inpatient and outpatient mental health and substance use services for patients in a certain manner; requiring the Department to develop and implement the Registry and Referral System in collaboration with the State-designated Health Information Exchange, subject to the availability of funds; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2020

HB 1236
Policy

Delegate Solomon, et al

TRANSIT – MARYLAND AREA REGIONAL COMMUTER TRAIN – EXPANSION OF SERVICE

Requiring the Maryland Transit Administration to engage in good-faith negotiations with certain jurisdictions and train companies to reach an agreement on a pilot program to establish Maryland Area Regional Commuter train service between Union Station in the District of Columbia and Alexandria Station, Virginia; requiring the Administration to engage in negotiations with Delaware and certain train companies to reach an agreement on a pilot program to establish train service between Perryville, Maryland, and Newark, Delaware; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 1260

Policy

The Speaker, et al

HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES – FUNDING

Requiring the Maryland Higher Education Commission to establish a certain new unit to assist in evaluating and reviewing certain proposals for new programs and substantial modifications of existing programs; requiring the Governor, in each of fiscal years 2023 through 2031, to include in the annual State operating budget \$57,700,000 to be allocated to certain historically black colleges and universities; establishing the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Reserve Fund; specifying the purpose and uses of the Fund; etc.

CONTINGENT – EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

HB 1300

Policy

The Speaker (By Request – Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education), et al

BLUEPRINT FOR MARYLAND’S FUTURE – IMPLEMENTATION

Repealing, altering, and adding certain provisions of law to implement The Blueprint for Maryland’s Future, which is intended to transform Maryland’s education system to the levels of high-performing systems around the world; establishing a method for verifying certain synthesized or compiled school-level and school system data; requiring certain funds be distributed to certain workforce development boards; establishing the Teacher Quality and Diversity Program and the Teacher Quality and Diversity Grant Program; etc.

VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES

HB 1336

Policy

Delegate Barron, et al

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE – PARTIAL EXPUNGEMENT, MARYLAND JUDICIARY CASE SEARCH, AND EXPUNGEMENT OF MISDEMEANOR CONVICTION

Authorizing a person to file a petition for expungement of certain records if the person is convicted of fourth degree burglary; prohibiting the Maryland Judiciary Case Search from in any way referring to the existence of certain records relating to certain charges under certain circumstances; establishing the Partial Expungement Workgroup to study, develop a plan, and make legislative recommendations for enabling the expungement of criminal charges that are not currently eligible for expungement; etc.

CONTINGENT – VARIOUS EFFECTIVE DATES

HB 1659

Policy

Delegate McIntosh

**MARYLAND STADIUM AUTHORITY – YOUTH AND AMATEUR
SPORTS GRANTS PROGRAM AND MICHAEL ERIN BUSCH
SPORTS FUND**

Establishing the Youth and Amateur Sports Grants Program to provide grants from the Michael Erin Busch Sports Fund to bring new youth and amateur events to the State and attract sports fans, participants, and tourists; requiring Maryland Sports to implement and administer the Program in a certain manner; requiring the Comptroller to distribute a certain amount of money from the State Lottery Fund to the Michael Erin Busch Sports Fund each fiscal year; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

Sincerely,

Victoria L. Gruber
Executive Director