
Part IV
**New Reports to the General
Assembly and Its Committees**

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Reports to the Presiding Officers and the General Assembly, as a Result of 2018 Legislation

Citation	Agency	Topic
HB 236, Ch. 776	Affordable Housing Commission for Prince George's County	<p>(a) There is an Affordable Housing Commission for Prince George's County.</p> <p>(b) The Commission consists of the following members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) one member of the Senate of Maryland, appointed by the President of the Senate; (2) one member of the House of Delegates, appointed by the Speaker of the House; (3) the chair of the Housing Authority of Prince George's County or the chair's designee; and (4) the following members, appointed by the County Executive: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) two representatives of the housing industry, including representatives of the Home Builders Association of Maryland and the Maryland Association of Realtors; (ii) two representatives of banking or lending institutions; (iii) two representatives of rental property owner organizations; (iv) two representatives of affordable housing programs of municipalities in the county; and (v) four members of the public. <p>(c) The County Executive shall designate the chair of the Commission.</p> <p>(d) The County Department of Housing and Community Development shall provide staff for the Commission.</p> <p>(e) A member of the Commission:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) may not receive compensation as a member of the Commission; but (2) is entitled to reimbursement for expenses under the Standard State Travel Regulations, as provided in the State budget. <p>(f) The Commission shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) review the procedures and practices currently used in the county administration of housing and community development policies; (2) use existing studies, reports, and census data to examine the state of affordable housing in the county, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the need for the preservation and production of rental housing, special needs housing, transitional housing, and shelters for the homeless; (ii) homeownership opportunities; (iii) possible barriers to the creation of affordable housing, including economic factors, local government regulations and procedures, and community perceptions; (iv) successful State and national housing initiatives; (v) challenges facing healthy, at-risk, distressed, and blighted communities; and (vi) the impact of housing choice vouchers and other forms of housing assistance; and (3) examine industry trends in the location, production, and rehabilitation of single-family and multifamily housing. <p>(g) On or before January 1, 2019, the Commission shall report its findings and recommendations to the members of the Prince George's County Senate delegation to the General Assembly, the members of the Prince George's County House delegation to the General Assembly, the Governor, and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The County Department of Housing and Community Development shall provide staff for the Commission.</p>

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SB 743, Ch. 852(4)	Attorney General Division of Consumer Protection	That, on or before December 31, 2019, the Consumer Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General shall report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the number and nature of complaints received relating to peer-to-peer car sharing programs, including complaints regarding the safety of shared motor vehicles.
HB 1600, Ch. 496((g)(1))	Baltimore County Board of Education Baltimore County Anti-Bullying Task Force	<p>(f) The [Baltimore County Anti-Bullying] Task Force shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) for the 2018–2019 school year, to the extent consistent with State and federal law, compile data on the number of incidents of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, and intimidation in each public school in Baltimore County and the disposition of each incident; (2) for the 2019–2020 school year, to the extent consistent with State and federal law, compile data on the number of incidents of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, and intimidation in each public school in Baltimore County and the disposition of each incident; (3) study current disciplinary actions for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy (4) study the range of possible disciplinary actions for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy levels; and (5) make recommendations regarding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) whether Baltimore County Public Schools should prescribe a countywide disciplinary action for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy; (ii) whether community service should be prescribed as a possible disciplinary action for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy; (iii) anti-bullying strategies and anti-bullying programming, including the development of a countywide anti-bullying campaign; (iv) options for victims of bullying who feel that their safety is threatened if they continue to attend their current school; (v) a procedure for providing immediate notification, consistent with State and federal law, to the parent of a victim of bullying or harassment and the parent of a perpetrator of an act of bullying or harassment in Baltimore County Public Schools; (vi) a procedure for reporting to the parent of a victim of bullying the actions taken to protect the victim in Baltimore County Public Schools; (vii) a process for anonymous reporting by students to protect students from retaliation; (viii) resources that Baltimore County Public Schools should make available to students who have been the target of bullying and to parents of those students; (ix) electronic learning as an option for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy and whose presence in school would be disruptive; and (x) any other findings of the Task Force. <p>(g)(1) On or before July 1, 2019, the Task Force shall submit a preliminary report of its findings on the matters listed in subsection (f)(1) of this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the members of the Baltimore County delegation to the General Assembly. ...</p> <p>(3) The Task Force additionally shall submit the reports required under paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection to the following local entities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the Baltimore County Executive; (ii) the Baltimore County Council; (iii) the Baltimore County Superintendent of Schools; (iv) the Baltimore County Board of Education; (v) the Teachers Association of Baltimore County; and (vi) the PTA Council of Baltimore County.

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<p>HB 1600, Ch. 496((g)(2))</p>	<p>Baltimore County Board of Education Baltimore County Anti-Bullying Task Force</p>	<p>(f) The [Baltimore County Anti-Bullying] Task Force shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) for the 2018–2019 school year, to the extent consistent with State and federal law, compile data on the number of incidents of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, and intimidation in each public school in Baltimore County and the disposition of each incident; (2) for the 2019–2020 school year, to the extent consistent with State and federal law, compile data on the number of incidents of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, and intimidation in each public school in Baltimore County and the disposition of each incident; (3) study current disciplinary actions for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy (4) study the range of possible disciplinary actions for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy levels; and (5) make recommendations regarding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) whether Baltimore County Public Schools should prescribe a countywide disciplinary action for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy; (ii) whether community service should be prescribed as a possible disciplinary action for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy; (iii) anti-bullying strategies and anti-bullying programming, including the development of a countywide anti-bullying campaign; (iv) options for victims of bullying who feel that their safety is threatened if they continue to attend their current school; (v) a procedure for providing immediate notification, consistent with State and federal law, to the parent of a victim of bullying or harassment and the parent of a perpetrator of an act of bullying or harassment in Baltimore County Public Schools; (vi) a procedure for reporting to the parent of a victim of bullying the actions taken to protect the victim in Baltimore County Public Schools; (vii) a process for anonymous reporting by students to protect students from retaliation; (viii) resources that Baltimore County Public Schools should make available to students who have been the target of bullying and to parents of those students; (ix) electronic learning as an option for students found responsible for violations of the Baltimore County Public Schools’ bullying policy and whose presence in school would be disruptive; and (x) any other findings of the Task Force. <p>(g) ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (2) On or before December 1, 2020, the Task Force shall submit a final report of its findings and recommendations on the matters listed in subsection (f)(2) through (5) of this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the members of the Baltimore County delegation to the General Assembly. (3) The Task Force additionally shall submit the reports required under paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection to the following local entities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the Baltimore County Executive; (ii) the Baltimore County Council; (iii) the Baltimore County Superintendent of Schools; (iv) the Baltimore County Board of Education; (v) the Teachers Association of Baltimore County; and (vi) the PTA Council of Baltimore County.

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SB 492, Ch. 468	Board of Public Works	<p>(a) The Board of Public Works shall collect the following information for all construction–related, competitive sealed bids for projects for a period of 3 months following the enactment of this Act:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) whether the bidding company and any subcontractor provide employee health care coverage on projects that require a prevailing wage; (2) for the year preceding the bid, what the percentage of total Social Security wages was, as well as the total amount spent on employee health care; (3) what percentage of total health insurance coverage costs are paid by the insurance company, versus an employee, what the type and scope of the coverage are, and what the average percentage of the monthly premium paid by the bidder or subcontractor is; and (4) what the average percentage of monthly premium paid by the bidder’s employee or subcontractor’s employee was, and the average per employee deductible for each health care plan offered. <p>(b) The Board of Public Works shall direct any relevant agency to include in any request for construction–related, competitive sealed bids the information required under subsection (a) of this section.</p> <p>(c) On or before November 1, 2018, the Board of Public Works shall report the information required under this [Procurement - Board of Public Works - Workforce Health Care Study] Act to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p>
SB 961, Ch. 420(2) HB 1459, Ch. 118(2)	Calvert County Board of County Commissioners	<p>That, on or before July 1, 2019, and each year thereafter, the Calvert County Board of County Commissioners shall report to the Calvert County Delegation to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the distribution of funds from the Calvert County Youth Recreational Opportunities Fund; (2) the annual progress of activities and plans related to the development of Ward Farm Recreation and Nature Park; and (3) plans to expand youth recreational opportunities at additional locations after completion of the Ward Farm Recreation and Nature Park. <p>[On going un-codified annual reporting requirement.]</p>
HB 113, Ch. 147 PS § 4–801(d)	City of Baltimore	<p>On or before December 31 each year, the Mayor of Baltimore City shall report to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the effectiveness of Safe Streets Initiatives in Baltimore City; (2) the status of all Safe Streets Initiatives in Baltimore City, including a summary of grants awarded with the following information about each grant: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the name of the awardee; (ii) the amount of the grant; and (iii) a summary of the program for which the grant was awarded; and (3) any other information considered necessary by the Mayor of Baltimore City.

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SB 1098, Ch. 714	City of Baltimore, Department of Public Works	<p>That, on or before October 1, 2019, the Baltimore City Department of Public Works shall report to the members of the Baltimore City delegation to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <p>(1) specific outreach and education efforts made to houses of worship regarding payment plans, emergency assistance, and other assistance programs for delinquent water bills;</p> <p>(2) the administrative review process by which a customer may file a claim for the review of or in order to dispute the customer’s bill; and</p> <p>(3) alternative collection methods implemented after this [Baltimore City - Tax Sales - Water Liens] Act takes effect.</p>
SB 187, Ch. 10(21)	Commission on Innovation & Excellence in Education	<p>(a) Notwithstanding §§ 5–202 and 5–205 of the Education Article, for fiscal year 2020 only, the Department of Legislative Services, the Department of Budget and Management, and the Maryland State Department of Education shall jointly determine the appropriate regional Consumer Price Index to use in place of the Washington–Baltimore metropolitan area, which has been discontinued by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, in order to calculate the State Foundation Formula and the student transportation formula.</p> <p>(b) The Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education shall make recommendations in its final report to the Governor and General Assembly on or before December 31, 2018, on the appropriate inflationary indices that should be used in the State education aid formulas.</p> <p>[Places a requirement into last report of Commission.]</p>
SB 285, Ch. 302 HB 634, Ch. 301	Commission to Advance Next Generation 9-1-1 Across Maryland	<p>(g) On or before December 1, 2018, the Commission [to Advance Next Generation 9–1–1 (“NG9–1–1”) Across Maryland] shall submit a preliminary report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:</p> <p>(1) the needs, both capital and operating, to bring efficient and effective NG9–1–1 technology and service across Maryland, and estimated costs required to effect this priority outcome;</p> <p>(2) the current funding structure for both State and local support for 9–1–1 service and its adequacy in supporting both current service and anticipated next generation service;</p> <p>(3) comparisons of the current Maryland 9–1–1 fee and additional charge mechanism under § 1–310 of the Public Safety Article and comparable systems used in other states;</p> <p>(4) potential changes to the Maryland 9–1–1 fee and additional charge mechanism, and their estimated effect on the implementation of full–service NG9–1–1 across Maryland;</p> <p>(5) potential statutory or administrative changes to the scope of allowable uses for grant funding approved through the Emergency Numbers Systems Board, to promote and ensure ideal support for maintenance, training, and other costs associated with both the transition to NG9–1–1 service and the continued functions of effective call centers;</p> <p>(6) other matters related to the financing and procurement of NG9–1–1 across Maryland; and</p> <p>(7) the anticipation and prevention of cybersecurity threats to NG9–1–1 infrastructure.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d)(1) The entities represented on the Commission under subsection (b)(3) through (6) of this section jointly shall provide staff for the Commission.</p> <p>(2) The Emergency Number Systems Board may contract with a third party to provide staff for the Commission under paragraph (1) of this subsection.</p>

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SB 182, Ch. 173(2) HB 7, Ch. 172(2)	Comptroller of the Treasury	That, on or before December 31, 2021, the Comptroller, in consultation with the Department of Natural Resources, shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the effectiveness of the tax credit established under this [Income Tax Credit - Venison Donation - Feed the Hungry Organizations] Act, including the number of deer donated under the tax credit program and the total cost of the tax credit.
SB 184, Ch. 575(2) HB 365, Ch. 574(2)	Comptroller of the Treasury Bureau of Revenue Estimates	<p>(a) The Bureau of Revenue Estimates, in consultation with the Consensus Revenue Monitoring and Forecasting Group established under § 6–105 of the State Finance and Procurement Article, shall review and update its January 2018 report entitled “The 60–Day Report: Effects of Federal Tax Law Revisions on the State of Maryland”.</p> <p>(b) The updated report required under subsection (a) of this section shall, at a minimum, provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) detailed charts that provide revised information and estimates on the impacts of each relevant provision of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, including summary charts of how the provisions interact with each other and impact federal, State, and local revenues; (2) a detailed explanation and rationale for any significant differences in the revenue estimates as compared to the original January 2018 report; (3) information on any changes or proposed changes to federal law or regulations that may impact the revenue estimates or provisions of State law, and any resulting recommendations for changes to State law; (4) revised estimates of the impacts of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act on the State’s overall economy; (5) a review of applicable studies by other states and organizations as to the impacts of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act; and (6) any other relevant information. <p>(c) The updated report required under subsection (a) of this section shall be submitted to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly on or before December 15, 2018.</p>

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SB 743, Ch. 852(5)	Comptroller of the Treasury	<p>That, on or before December 31, 2019: ...</p> <p>(2) the Office of the Comptroller shall:</p> <p>(i) identify and compile information that could assist the General Assembly in determining a fair and equitable State taxation on sales and charges made in connection with a shared motor vehicle used for peer-to-peer car sharing and made available on a peer-to-peer car sharing program;</p> <p>(ii) in identifying and compiling information under item (i) of this item, consider:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. a comparison of taxation and other governmental fees in the State: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. relating to short-term vehicle rentals, including income tax on rental car companies and sales tax on renters; with B. relating to peer-to-peer car sharing, including income tax on peer-to-peer car sharing programs and shared vehicle owners and sales tax on shared vehicle drivers; 2. sales taxes imposed in other states on short-term vehicle rentals and on peer-to-peer car sharing, including whether they impose as a percentage of sales or on a flat per day basis that, for comparison purposes, can be equated to a percentage of sales and the sales and charges that are included as a taxable price for the sales tax in other states; 3. whether a different taxation percentage on sales of short-term vehicle rentals than is on sales of peer-to-peer car sharing could be based on differences in the current government taxes and fees paid by each; 4. a comparison of taxation and other governmental fees relating to short-term vehicle rentals and peer-to-peer car sharing in other states; 5. a trend of the taxation and other governmental fees collected by the Comptroller on short-term vehicle rentals and peer-to-peer car sharing in the State; and 6. any other information that the Comptroller determines relevant to the identification and compilation of information that could assist the General Assembly in making a determination described under item (i) of this item; and <p>(iii) report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on its findings and any recommendations.</p>
SB 4, Ch. 473(2)	Department of Aging Oversight Committee on Quality of Care in Nursing Homes & Assisted Living Facilities	<p>That, on or before November 1, 2018, the Oversight Committee on Quality of Care in Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities shall review the changes to the membership and duties of the Oversight Committee enacted by this [Oversight Committee on Quality of Care in Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities – Revisions] Act and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, make recommendations on any additional legislative changes that may be necessary to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (i) The Department of Aging, with assistance from the Department of Health, the Department of Human Services, and the Department of Legislative Services, shall provide staff support for the Oversight Committee [on Quality of Care in Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities].</p>

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HB 1597, Ch. 796	Department of Agriculture Department of the Environment Maryland Department of Health Department of Human Services Department of Labor, Licensing, & Regulation Department of Public Safety & Correctional Services	That on or before October 1, 2018, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of the Environment, the Maryland Department of Health, the Department of Human Services, the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, and the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly, disaggregated by year, regarding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) how many applications for an occupational license or certificate were received during the preceding 5 years; (2) of the applications received under item (1) of this section, how many applicants had a criminal record that would be applicable under § 1–209 of the Criminal Procedure Article; (3) of the applications described under item (2) of this section: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) how much time had passed since the criminal conviction; and (ii) how many applications were denied on the basis that the applicant had previously been convicted of a crime; and (4) of the applications denied under item (3) (ii) of this section, under which specific exemption in § 1–209(d) of the Criminal Procedure Article the license or certificate was denied.
HB 515, Ch. 246	Department of Agriculture	(a) The Department of Agriculture shall conduct a study to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) assess the adverse financial impact of the invasive weed Palmer amaranth on the agricultural industry in the State; and (2) determine the necessary actions each stakeholder must take to reduce the impact of Palmer amaranth and the cost of each action. (b) In conducting the study, the Department shall consult with representatives of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the State Highway Administration; (2) the Maryland Farm Bureau; (3) soil conservation districts; (4) the Maryland Association of Counties; (5) the Maryland Grain Producers; and (6) any other interested stakeholder, as determined by the Department. (c) On or before December 1, 2018, the Department shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
HB 1400, Ch. 307	Department of Budget & Management Maryland Insurance Administration Task Force to Study Cooperative Purchasing for Health Insurance	(g) On or before January 1, 2020, the Task Force [to Study Cooperative Purchasing for Health Insurance] shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly. Staffing Statement: (d) The Department of Budget and Management and the Maryland Insurance Administration shall provide staff for the Task Force.
HB 822, Ch. 774	Department of Budget & Management Maryland State Retirement Agency	(d)(2) On or before July 1, 2019, the Department [of Budget & Management] and the [Maryland State Retirement] Agency shall: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) finalize the development of the recommendations for a phased retirement plan; and (ii) submit the finalized recommendations for a phased retirement plan to the Department of Legislative Services and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the Joint Committee on Pensions.

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HB 822, Ch. 774	Department of Budget & Management Maryland State Retirement Agency	(d)(2) On or before July 1, 2019, the Department [of Budget & Management] and the [Maryland State Retirement] Agency shall: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) finalize the development of the recommendations for a phased retirement plan; and (ii) submit the finalized recommendations for a phased retirement plan to the Department of Legislative Services and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the Joint Committee on Pensions.
HB 822, Ch. 774	Department of Budget & Management Maryland State Retirement Agency	(d) (1) On or before January 1, 2019, ... the Department [of Budget & Management] and the [Maryland State Retirement] Agency shall submit a report to the Department of Legislative Services and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Joint Committee on Pensions on the development of the recommendations for a phased retirement plan.
HB 822, Ch. 774	Department of Budget & Management Maryland State Retirement Agency	(d)(1) On or before ... May 1, 2019, the Department [of Budget & Management] and the [Maryland State Retirement] Agency shall submit a report to the Department of Legislative Services and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Joint Committee on Pensions on the development of the recommendations for a phased retirement plan.
SB 464, Ch. 690 HB 523, Ch. 689	Department of Budget & Management	That, on or before January 1, 2020, the Department of Budget and Management, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Transportation, shall submit to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, a report that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) outlines a plan to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) phase out the practice of hiring a newly appointed employee at a higher pay rate than an incumbent employee who is in the same unit and in the same classification, unless the higher pay rate of the new employee is based solely on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. a higher level of qualification or experience relevant to the position; or 2. an employee transfer; and (ii) adjust the pay rate of each incumbent employee in a unit who is in the same classification as, and has a pay rate lower than, a newly appointed employee to be equal to the pay rate of the newly appointed employee, unless the higher pay rate of the new employee is based solely on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. a higher level of qualification or experience relevant to the position; or 2. an employee transfer; and (2) identifies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the units and number of incumbent employees affected by the plan; (ii) a timeline for implementing the plan; and (iii) the estimated cost associated with implementing the plan.
SB 859, Ch. 752(2)	Department of Budget & Management	That, on or before December 1, 2021, the Secretary of Budget and Management shall report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Appropriations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on what employee benefits, including paid parental leave, are important in order to attract and retain young people to State employment.

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HB 1542, Ch. 795	Department of Commerce	<p>(a) Subject to the receipt of funding from a grant provided by the Office of Economic Adjustment within the United States Department of Defense or from any other source, the Department of Commerce, in conjunction with the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, shall conduct a study of employment in the State's defense industry.</p> <p>(b) The study required under subsection (a) of this section shall, at a minimum:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) identify the types, and estimate the approximate number, of jobs in the State's defense industry facing shortages of qualified employees for employment in the next decade at the qualification requirement for each broad occupational category; (2) determine the factors affecting the availability of qualified employees for employment in the State's defense industry; (3) calculate the approximate number of retired military personnel in the State who are eligible for employment in the State's defense industry, including those retired military personnel who hold, have held, or are qualified to hold security clearances; (4) identify and report any recommendations to facilitate the recruitment of retired military personnel for positions in the State's defense industry; (5) identify, assess, and quantify the effects, if any, of the State's personal income tax structure on the employment decisions of retired military personnel to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) reside in the State for employment in the State's defense industry; (ii) not relocate to the State for employment in the State's defense industry; and (iii) leave the State for employment in another state's defense industry; (6) examine the following issues related to the accessibility of positions in the State's defense industry: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the number of jobs in the State that require a security clearance; and (ii) the number of retired military personnel who are employed in State defense industry jobs that require a security clearance; and (7) consider implications on employment at military installations and military facilities in the State that have been, or may be, under threat to close in a future Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) process. <p>(c) In conducting the study required under subsection (a) of this section, the Department of Commerce shall consult with:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the State's defense industry; (2) State employers who employ individuals in positions where a security clearance is required; (3) public-private partnerships that serve to support military installations in the State; (4) nonprofit organizations that exist to support the mission of military installations in the State; and (5) nonprofit associations that serve to support retired military personnel. <p>(d) On or before June 30, 2019, the Department of Commerce shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the findings of the study required under subsection (a) of this section.</p>

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SB 228, Ch. 578 TG § 10-733.1(f)	Department of Commerce	<p>(1) in accordance with § 2.5–109 of the Economic Development Article, the Department [of Commerce] shall submit a report on the credit certificates awarded under this section for the calendar year.</p> <p>(2) the report required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include for each credit certificate awarded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the names of the qualified buyer and the qualified seller and the amount of the credit certificate approved for each qualified buyer; (ii) the name and address of the qualified buyer that received the credit under this section and the county where the qualified buyer is located; and (iii) the dates of receipt and approval by the Department of all applications for credit certificates. <p>(3) the report required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall summarize for the categories of qualified buyers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the total number of applicants for credit certificates under this section in each calendar year; (ii) the number of applications for which credit certificates were issued in each calendar year; and (iii) the total amount of credit certificates authorized under this section for all calendar years under this section. <p>[Adds to EC § 2.5–109 and extends sunset to 2023.]</p>
SB 877, Ch. 350 EC § 6-909	Department of Commerce	On or before December 1 each year, the Department [of Commerce] shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the qualified business entities receiving final certification in the preceding fiscal year.
SB 877, Ch. 350 TG § 10-746(d)	Department of Commerce	On or before July 1 each year, the Department [of Commerce] shall report to the Governor and, subject to § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the amount of tax credits issued under final tax credit certificates under the [Promoting ext–Raordinary Innovation in Maryland’s Economy] Program.
SB 552, Ch. 757(2) HB 742, Ch. 756(2)	Department of Health State Board of Professional Counselors & Therapists	<p>(a) On or before October 1, 2018, and every 6 months thereafter until October 1, 2021, the State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health and the Department of Budget and Management, shall submit to the Department of Legislative Services a report on the progress made implementing the recommendations contained within the December 2017 publication “Sunset Review: Evaluation of the State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists”.</p> <p>(b) The progress reports required under subsection (a) of this section shall address:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the efforts made by the Board, in conjunction with the Maryland Department of Health and the Department of Budget and Management, to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) obtain additional personnel resources to allow the Board to conduct a systematic evaluation and triage of the Board’s complaint backlog; (ii) prioritize complaints based on potential public safety risks; and (iii) develop a plan to systematically address the complaint backlog and implement strategies to prevent future backlogs; (2) the practices adopted by the Board to improve the thoroughness, completeness, and legibility of investigative notes and the progress made in moving to an electronic system to track complaints and investigations; (3) the development of concrete timelines for the duration of investigations, wherein after a certain period of time, a case should be dismissed or advanced except under specified circumstances; (4) the progress the Board has made in adopting regulations as required under subsection (c) of this section;

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		<p>(5) the research and consideration the Board has given to extending the use of education programs accredited by the respective professional accrediting organizations for education requirements for licensed clinical professional counselors, clinical alcohol and drug counselors, clinical marriage and family therapists, certified associate counselors—alcohol and drug, and certified supervised counselors—alcohol and drug;</p> <p>(6) any progress made toward the implementation of the proposed portability plan for professional counselors and levels of reciprocity or endorsement to other levels of licensees or certificate holders in other states who have practiced for a specified number of years, passed a state law exam, and passed either a specified national examination or hold a specified national certification from a respective national credentialing organization;</p> <p>(7) the specific efforts have been undertaken to train Board staff in current requirements for direct licensure or certification responsibilities, and cross-training for additional licensure and certification responsibilities;</p> <p>(8) the progress of the investigation by the Board into implementing an online licensing and certification system that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) allows applicants to submit applications electronically; (ii) assists the Board in keeping accurate records of the number of applicants, licensees, and certificate holders; and (iii) tracks applications through the licensing and certification process; <p>(9) whether the number and types of licenses and certificates currently issued are necessary to protect the public or if a reduced number would adequately protect the public and provide better access to services;</p> <p>(10) the progress that has been made to implement systems to track progress toward licensure and complaint resolution goals, in conjunction with the Department of Budget and Management;</p> <p>(11) the progress that has been made, in conjunction with the Maryland Department of Health and the Department of Information Technology, to determine whether the Board should be a part of the electronic licensing and disciplinary system;</p> <p>(12) the progress the Board has made in determining whether it is more appropriate for the Board or the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists to regulate the practice of behavior analysis as required under subsection (d) of this section;</p> <p>(13) the progress the Board has made in determining whether or not it would be in the best interest of the State to regulate additional creative or expressive counselors and therapists as required under subsection (e) of this section; and</p> <p>(14) the progress the Board has made in determining a Board composition that appropriately represents the professions credentialed by the Board while providing the best protection to the public as required under subsection (f) of this section.</p>

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<p>SB 552, Ch. 757(2) HB 742, Ch. 756(2)</p>	<p>Department of Health State Board of Professional Counselors & Therapists</p>	<p>(c)(2) On or before January 1, 2019, the Board [of Professional Counselors and Therapist] shall submit regulations to the Joint Committee on Administrative, Executive, and Legislative Review to update, as appropriate, provisions regarding education and experience requirements for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) licensed clinical professional counselors; (ii) licensed graduate professional counselors; (iii) licensed clinical marriage and family therapists; (iv) licensed graduate marriage and family therapists; (v) licensed clinical alcohol and drug counselors; (vi) licensed graduate alcohol and drug counselors; (vii) certified associate counselors–alcohol and drug; (viii) certified supervised counselors–alcohol and drug; and (ix) alcohol and drug trainees. <p>(3) When drafting regulations in accordance with paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Board shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) distribute drafts to and receive feedback from interested stakeholders; and (ii) hold at least one public meeting. <p>(4) The Maryland Department of Health shall make employees of the Department available to the Board to assist in drafting the regulations required by this subsection.</p> <p>(d) On or before June 1, 2019, the Board shall determine whether the Board or the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists is the most appropriate board to regulate the practice of behavior analysis after:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) consulting with the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; (2) receiving input from interested stakeholders; and (3) holding at least one public meeting. <p>(e)(1) On or before June 1, 2019, the Board shall determine whether or not it would be in the best interest of the State to regulate additional creative or expressive counselors and therapists and, if so, whether the Board or another existing health occupations board should or a new board should be established to regulate the creative or expressive counselors and therapists.</p>
<p>HB 1192, Ch. 232(2) HS § 4-215(e)</p>	<p>Department of Housing & Community Development</p>	<p>That, on or before December 31, 2018, the Department of Housing and Community Development shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the Department’s evaluation of the ability of the existing participants in the Live Near Your Work Program to increase their financial grants or incentives under the Program. The Department shall submit this report as a one–time component of the annual report that is required from the Department under § 4–215(e) of the Housing and Community Development Article.</p>

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SB 1218, Ch. 748 HS § 11.5-108	Department of Housing & Community Development	<p>On or before December 1 each year, the Secretary [of the Department of Housing & Community Development] shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) a list of the areas of the state with the greatest need for services and housing for unaccompanied homeless youth and youth at risk of homelessness, and the level and nature of the needs identified; (2) details about grants made, including distribution of funds throughout the State; (3) grantee outcome data, including outcomes by race, sexual orientation, gender identity, and other demographics; (4) follow-up information, if available, on the status of unaccompanied homeless youth and whether they have stable housing 6 months, 3months, and 6 months after services are provided; (5) procedural or systemic barriers affecting unaccompanied homeless youth, youth at risk of homelessness, and grantee programs; and (6) any other outcomes for populations served by the [Ending Youth Homelessness Grant] Program to determine the effectiveness of the Program and the efficacy of funding.
SB 821, Ch. 802 HB 109, Ch. 801 HS § 6-605	Department of Housing & Community Development	<p>The [Community Development] Board shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) make recommendations on how the fund is to be used; (2) provide a period of at least 30 days for public comment on the recommendations; and (3) report on or before December 31 each year on the activities of the [Community Development] Fund and make any recommendations regarding the fund to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly. <p>Staffing Statement: HS § 6–603 the Department [of Housing and Community Development] shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) administer the [Community Development] Program; and (2) adopt regulations to carry out the Program.
HB 1582, Ch. 407 HU § 8-1102(c)	Department of Human Services State Medical Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) The State Medical Director for children receiving child welfare services shall report annually to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the current status of health care services for children in out-of-home placement in the State. (2) a report made under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be made available to the public on the Department’s website.

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HB 1582, Ch. 407(3) HU § 8-1102(c)	Department of Human Services	<p>That, on or before October 1, 2019, the Department of Human Services, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health, the Maryland Chapter of the Academy of Pediatrics, the Citizens Review Board for Children, Maryland Legal Aid, Advocates for Children and Youth, the Mental Health Association of Maryland, the Maryland Dental Action Coalition, and other interested stakeholders, shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of children in out-of-home placement identified by managed care organizations and provided additional levels of case management; (2) barriers and challenges that prevent children in out-of-home placement from receiving optimal health care services; (3) the benefits and challenges of implementing regional health care monitoring programs; (4) the feasibility of linking a centralized data portal for medical data for children in out-of-home placement with clinical practice-based electronic health records used by federally qualified health centers, medical practices designated as patient-centered medical homes, and primary care medical practices with 10 or more care providers; and (5) any other recommendations to improve the delivery of health care services to children in out-of-home placement.

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<p>SB 977, Ch. 692 HB 1517, Ch. 693 HG § 5-505.1(d)</p>	<p>Department of Human Services Social Services Administration</p>	<p>(a) in consultation with interested stakeholders, the [Social Services] Administration shall prepare an annual report on voluntary placement agreements for children and young adults in the state.</p> <p>(b) the report shall include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the total number of voluntary placement agreements that were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) approved (ii) denied; and (iii) requested for behavioral health reasons, including voluntary placement agreements that were requested for children with a developmental disability who are also diagnosed with a behavioral health disorder; (2) the reason for any denials; and (3) for voluntary placement agreements that were approved, the type of initial placement, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) residential treatment center; (ii) group home placement; (iii) therapeutic group home; (iv) diagnostic placement; (v) therapeutic foster home; and (vi) any other type of placement. <p>(c) the report shall group the information required under subsection (b) of this section by the following regions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Baltimore region, consisting of Baltimore City, Baltimore County, and Harford County; (2) Eastern Shore, Consisting of Caroline County, Cecil County, Dorchester County, Kent County, Queen Anne’s County, Somerset County, Talbot County, Wicomico County, and Worcester County; (3) Metro region, consisting of Howard County, Montgomery County, and Prince George’s County; (4) Southern Maryland, Consisting of Anne Arundel County, Calvert County, Charles County, and St. Mary’s County; and (5) Western Maryland, Consisting of Allegany County, Carroll County, Frederick County, Garrett County, and Washington County. <p>(d) on or before December 1 each year, the [Social Services] Administration shall submit the report required under this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>
<p>SB 553, Ch. 467(3)</p>	<p>Department of Information Technology</p>	<p>That, on or before January 31, 2019, the Department of Information Technology shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) develop a plan to develop, maintain, and revise security training material that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) focuses on ensuring data protection and integrity; and (ii) can be used by the Governor and any unit of State government; and (2) report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the number of personnel who handle security–sensitive data identified by each unit of State government; and (ii) the total additional number of identified training licenses required to implement the plan developed under item (1) of this section beyond the Department’s existing training license growth projections.

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HB 1107, Ch. 337(3)	Department of Labor, Licensing & Regulation	That, on or before January 1, 2020, the Secretary of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation shall report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of how elevator inspections are being conducted under this [Public Safety – Elevator Inspections – Testing and Apprenticeship Program] Act.
SB 1068, Ch. 732 HB 1634, Ch. 731 FI § 2-104.1(h)	Department of Labor, Licensing & Regulation Commissioner of Financial Regulation	On or before January 1 each year, the Commissioner [of Financial Regulation] shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on: (1) the implementation of the Student Loan Ombudsman and related provisions under this section; and (2) the overall effectiveness of the Student Loan Ombudsman position.
SB 1068, Ch. 732(3) HB 1634, Ch. 731(3)	Department of Labor, Licensing & Regulation Commissioner of Financial Regulation	(a) The Commissioner of Financial Regulation in the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation shall conduct a study to assess whether the Commissioner has enough statutory authority to regulate “Fintech firms” or technology–driven nonbank companies who compete with traditional methods in the delivery of financial services. (b) The Commissioner shall identify any gaps in the regulation of Fintech firms, including any specific types of companies that are not subject to regulation under State law. (c) On or before December 31, 2019, the Commissioner shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, its findings and any recommendations for legislative proposals to regulate Fintech firms.
HB 1316, Ch. 25	Department of Legislative Services Task Force to Study State Alcohol Regulation, Enforcement, Safety, & Public Health	(e) On or before December 1, 2018, the Task Force [to Study State Alcohol Regulation, Enforcement, Safety, and Public Health] shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article. Staffing Statement: (c) The Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Task Force.

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HB 1316, Ch. 25	Department of Legislative Services Task Force to Study State Alcohol Regulation, Enforcement, Safety, & Public Health	<p>(d)(1) The Task Force [to Study State Alcohol Regulation, Enforcement, Safety, and Public Health] shall examine whether the State agency that now is assigned the tasks of regulating the State alcoholic beverages industry and enforcing State alcoholic beverages laws is the most appropriate agency to ensure the safety and welfare of the residents of Maryland, or whether those tasks should be assigned to another State agency or to one created specifically to carry out those tasks.</p> <p>(2) In conducting its examination under paragraph (1) of this subsection, the Task Force shall review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Maryland alcohol laws in light of recent changes regarding alcohol production, distribution, and sale; (ii) the public health impact of alcohol in Maryland; (iii) the economic development and employment impact of alcohol in Maryland; and (iv) the enforcement at the State and local level of alcohol regulation and laws, including regulatory systems in other states, and the methods by which State and local enforcement agencies interact. <p>(3) The Task Force shall make recommendations regarding what additional policies should be implemented and the method for implementing the policies, with regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) alcohol laws in the State; and (ii) legislative proposals that would expand the availability of alcohol to the public. <p>(e) On or before December 1, 2018, the Task Force shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (c) The Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>
SB 1099, Ch. 753	Department of Legislative Services Commission to Restore Trust in Policing & Audit Review	<p>The Charter of Baltimore City Article II – General Powers, Section (70) (l) on or before December 31, 2018, the Commission [to Restore Trust in Policing and Audit Review] shall submit a preliminary report of its initial findings, conclusions, and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (e) the Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Commission.</p>
SB 1099, Ch. 753	Department of Legislative Services Commission to Restore Trust in Policing & Audit Review	<p>The Charter of Baltimore City Article II – General Powers, Section (70) (m) on or before December 31, 2019, the Commission shall submit a final report of its findings, conclusions, and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (e) the Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Commission.</p>

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SB 187, Ch. 10(22)	Department of Legislative Services	<p>That the Department of Legislative Services shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) review and identify statutory provisions in the Annotated Code of Maryland that reference the discontinued Consumer Price Index Washington–Baltimore metropolitan area; and (2) make recommendations, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly on or before November 1, 2018, regarding the appropriate inflationary measure to use in each instance in which the index is contained in statute other than those identified in Section 21 of this Act [Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2018]. <p>[Places a requirement into last report of Commission.]</p>
SB 387, Ch. 38(2) HB 1782, Ch. 37(2)	Department of Legislative Services Department of Health Maryland Insurance Administration Maryland Health Insurance Coverage Protection Commission	<p>(h)(1) the [Maryland Health Insurance Coverage Protection] Commission shall study and make recommendations for individual and group health insurance market stability, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the components of one or more waivers under § 1332 of the affordable care act to ensure market stability that may be submitted by the state; (ii) whether to pursue a standard plan design that limits cost sharing; (iii) whether to merge the individual and small group health insurance markets in the state for rating purposes; (iv) whether to pursue a basic health program; (v) whether to pursue a Medicaid buy–in program for the individual market; (vi) whether to provide subsidies that supplement premium tax credits or cost–sharing reductions described in § 1402(c) of the affordable care act; and (vii) whether to adopt a state–based individual health insurance mandate and how to use payments collected from individuals who do not maintain minimum essential coverage, including use of the payments to assist individuals in purchasing health insurance. <p>(2) the Commission shall engage an independent actuarial firm to assist in its study under this subsection.</p> <p>(3) the Commission shall include its findings and recommendations from the study required under paragraph (1) of this subsection in the annual report submitted by the Commission on or before December 31, 2019, under subsection (j) of this section.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (e) The Department of Legislative Services, the Department of Health, and the Maryland Insurance Administration jointly shall provide staff for the Commission.</p> <p>[Adds reporting requirement to December 31, 2019 annual report.]</p>
SB 552, Ch. 757(3) HB 742, Ch. 756(3)	Department of Legislative Services	<p>That, on or before December 1, 2019, the Department of Legislative Services shall report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the progress to date of the State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists in implementing the recommendations contained within the December 2017 publication “Sunset Review: Evaluation of the State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists” and recommend whether and for how long the termination date of the Board should be extended.</p>
SB 912, Ch. 559 HB 1685, Ch. 558 HG § 24-1502(k)	Department of Legislative Services Office of Legislative Audits	<p>The [Maryland Prenatal and Infant Care Coordination Services Grant Program] Fund is subject to audit by the Office of Legislative Audits as provided in § 2–1220 of the State Government Article.</p>

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HB 1172, Ch. 520 NR § 4-1210(e)	Department of Natural Resources	<p>On or before December 31 each year, the Department [of Natural Resources] shall report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Environment and Transportation Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of citations issued during the previous year for offenses listed under subsection (a) of this section; and (2) the action taken or penalty imposed by the Department for each offense.
SB 149, Ch. 434 NR § 1-403(e)(4)	Department of Natural Resources	<p>On or before December 1 each year, the Department [of Natural Resources] shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the collection, distribution, and expenditure of any voluntary monetary donations made under this subsection in the previous fiscal year.</p>
SB 501, Ch. 698(2)	Department of Natural Resources	<p>That, on or before December 1, 2021, the Department of Natural Resources shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the status of the State Lakes Protection and Restoration Fund; (2) the amount of money expended from the Fund for the protection or restoration of State–owned or State–managed lakes; (3) the costs incurred in administering the Fund; and (4) any recommendations for the Fund.
HB 1245, Ch. 789	Department of Planning Task Force on the Canal Place Preservation & Development Authority	<p>(h) On or before June 1, 2019, the Task Force [on the Canal Place Preservation and Development Authority] shall report its findings and recommendations, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (e) The Department of Planning shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>
HB 819, Ch. 253 PS § 5-312(g)	Department of Public Safety & Correctional Services Handgun Permit Review Board	<p>On or before December 1 each year, the [Handgun Permit Review] Board shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of appeals of decisions by the secretary that have been filed with the board within the previous year; (2) the number of decisions by the secretary that have been sustained, modified, or reversed by the board within the previous year; (3) the number of appeals that are pending; and (4) the number of appeals that have been withdrawn within the previous year.

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SB 285, Ch. 302 HB 634, Ch. 301	Department of Public Safety & Correctional Services Emergency Number Systems Board Commission to Advance Next Generation 9-1-1 Across Maryland	<p>(h) On or before December 1, 2019, the Commission [to Advance Next Generation 9–1–1 (“NG9–1–1”) Across Maryland] shall submit a final report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the current statutory and regulatory framework for the management and funding of the 9–1–1 system within the State; (2) the implementation, management, operation, and ongoing development of NG9–1–1 emergency communication services, during both transition to expanded service and their permanent sustenance; (3) the ideal role and placement for the Emergency Number Systems Board within State government to best service its broad and evolving missions; (4) federal, State, and local authorities, agencies, and governing bodies whose participation and cooperation will be necessary for the implementation of NG9–1–1 emergency communication services in the State; (5) any efforts, projects, or initiatives in progress or planned in Maryland or any other state regarding the implementation of NG9–1–1 emergency communication services; (6) best practices, policies, and procedures for public safety telecommunicators; and (7) any other issues the Commission may consider useful in the planning and implementation of NG9–1–1 emergency communication services in the State. <p>(i) A jurisdiction may implement NG9–1–1 services before the Commission has submitted the final report to the Governor and the General Assembly as required by subsection (h) of this section.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d)(1) The entities represented on the Commission under subsection (b)(3) through (6) of this section jointly shall provide staff for the Commission.</p> <p>(2) The Emergency Number Systems Board may contract with a third party to provide staff for the Commission under paragraph (1) of this subsection.</p>
HB 3, Ch. 627 EN § 2-1401(b)	Governor's Office	<p>On or before December 1, 2018, and on or before December 1 each year thereafter, the Governor shall report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Environment and Transportation Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the state’s participation in the U.S. Climate Alliance, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) any collaborations or partnerships among the Alliance members or external stakeholders; and (2) any policies or programs that the Alliance has endorsed, undertaken, or considered.
HB 432, Ch. 148 PS § 4-909(2)	Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention	<p>(1) on or before October 1, 2020, and every October 1 thereafter, the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention shall place on its website in an easily accessible location a filterable data display showing all data collected under this subtitle pertaining to outcome–based performance measures under this section for the previous fiscal year.</p> <p>(2) the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention shall notify annually in writing the Governor and the Legislative Policy Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, when the filterable data display has been updated under paragraph (1) of this subsection.</p> <p>[Give notice to LPC of website posting.]</p>

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SB 1137, Ch. 145(2) HB 291, Ch. 144(2)	Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention Task Force to Study Maryland's Criminal Gang Statutes	<p>(f) The Task Force [to Study Maryland's Criminal Gang Statutes] shall:</p> <p>(1) study existing State prohibitions on criminal gang-related activity and the efficacy of existing law in being used to obtain criminal convictions against individuals who engage in criminal gang-related activity; and</p> <p>(2) make recommendations regarding changes to State law to better deter, prosecute, and punish criminal gang-related activity and persons convicted of gang-related offenses.</p> <p>(g) On or before June 30, 2020, the Task Force shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>
SB 963, Ch. 419 HB 247, Ch. 422(10)	Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention Justice Reinvestment Oversight Board	That, on or before December 31, 2020, the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention shall provide a report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly that provides an update on issues relating to the implementation of this Act, including the office locations of the Victim Services Unit, the number of employees at each location, any budgetary concerns, improvements to the restitution collection process, and any significant changes planned for the Victim Services Unit.
SB 963, Ch. 419 HB 247, Ch. 422(9)	Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention Justice Reinvestment Oversight Board	<p>That the Justice Reinvestment Oversight Board shall:</p> <p>(1) monitor the formation of the Victim Services Unit and provide oversight and guidance to the Victim Services Unit;</p> <p>(2) ensure that data systems developed and used by the Victim Services Unit enhance victim services and are user-friendly for persons responsible for the data systems;</p> <p>(3) ensure the Victim Services Unit adopts appropriate outcome measures, reviews outcomes, and recommends any appropriate actions based on the outcomes;</p> <p>(4) assess whether the current system of collecting restitution should remain within the existing State and local entities; and</p> <p>(5) report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly by December 31, 2019, on any recommendations to improve the process of restitution, including whether the Victim Services Unit can take over restitution collections without impacting its ability to serve victims. In considering whether the Victim Services Unit should assume the duties of collecting restitution, the following matters should be included in the report:</p> <p>(i) the needs of the Victim Services Unit, including personnel requirements;</p> <p>(ii) whether, in order to avoid duplication of effort and resources, the Victim Services Unit should take over the duties of collecting other money in addition to restitution; and</p> <p>(iii) ways to avoid confusion and to streamline the payment system for persons owing restitution as well as other payments.</p>

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SB 414, Ch. 455	Governor's Office of Small, Minority, & Women Business Affairs	<p>That the Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs shall:</p> <p>(1) collaborate with the Department of Commerce, the Department of General Services, the Department of Budget and Management, the Department of Transportation, and any other appropriate State entities to identify all State resources available to small businesses and develop a plan to coordinate the resources with the Office; and</p> <p>(2) on or before December 1, 2018, report on the available resources and the plan to coordinate the resources to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.</p>
SB 414, Ch. 455(2)	Governor's Office of Small, Minority, & Women Business Affairs	<p>(a) The Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs shall convene a workgroup of interested stakeholders to study and make recommendations regarding the collection of data by State agencies that may be used to assist small businesses in accessing State resources and bidding on State contracts.</p> <p>(b) The workgroup convened under subsection (a) of this section shall focus on the types of data that may be collected by the following agencies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Department of Human Services; (2) Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation; (3) State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency; (4) Maryland Higher Education Commission; (5) Maryland Stadium Authority; (6) Interagency Committee on School Construction; (7) local departments of social services; and (8) any agency exempt from monitoring by the Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs. <p>(c) The workgroup convened under subsection (a) of this section shall include at least:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) one representative from the Greater Baltimore Black Chamber of Commerce; (2) three representatives from minority-owned businesses; (3) three representatives from women-owned businesses; and (4) three African American women business owners. <p>(d) On or before December 1, 2018, the Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs shall submit a report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee that includes its findings, recommendations, and any proposed legislation to implement its recommendations.</p>

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HB 1783, Ch. 14(3) ED § 5-310(3)(3)	Interagency Commission on School Construction Department of Legislative Services	<p>(a) There is a Workgroup on the Assessment and Funding of School Facilities. ...</p> <p>(f)(1) After the initial school facility assessment required by § 5–310(e) of the Education Article is completed, the Workgroup shall:</p> <p>(i) consider how the relative condition of public school facilities within the educational facilities sufficiency standards and the facility condition index should be prioritized, taking into account local priorities and in consultation with local jurisdictions, including whether the prioritization should be by category and by local jurisdiction or statewide;</p> <p>(ii) determine whether the results should be incorporated into school construction funding decisions.; and</p> <p>(iii) If the Workgroup determines that the assessment results should be incorporated into school construction funding decisions, determine how the assessment results should be incorporated into school construction funding.</p> <p>(2) The Workgroup shall also consider whether the State should provide funding incentives for local jurisdictions that reduce the total cost of ownership of public school facilities.</p> <p>(g) On or before December 1, 2019, the Workgroup shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Interagency Commission on School Construction and the Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Workgroup.</p>
HB 1783, Ch. 14(5) ED § 5-310(3)(3)	Interagency Commission on School Construction	<p>(a)(1) The nteragency Commission on School Construction shall explore the feasibility of regional school construction projects, including regional public–private partnership zones and regional career and technical education high schools.</p> <p>(2) Additionally, the Interagency Commission on School Construction shall develop mechanisms and incentives to provide State funding for regional school construction projects.</p> <p>(b) On or before July 1, 2018, the Interagency Committee on School Construction shall report on the feasibility and financing of regional school construction projects to the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education.</p>
HB 1783, Ch. 14(6)	Interagency Commission on School Construction	<p>(a) There is a Workgroup on Educational Development Specifications. ...</p> <p>(h) On or before July 1, 2019, the Workgroup shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Interagency Commission on School Construction shall provide staff for the Workgroup.</p>
HB 1783, Ch. 14(7)	Interagency Commission on School Construction	<p>(a) The Interagency Commission on School Construction shall examine the effect of prevailing wage requirements on school construction costs, including in:</p> <p>(1) different regions of the State; and</p> <p>(2) counties with different State and local cost–share percentages.</p> <p>(b) On or before July 1, 2020, the Interagency Commission on School Construction shall report on its examination of the effect of prevailing wage requirements on school construction costs to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>

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SB 234, Ch. 470 HO § 14-3A-01 Sec. 12.	Interstate Medical Licensure Compact	(17) report annually to the legislatures and Governors of the member states concerning the activities of the Interstate Commission during the preceding year. Such reports shall also include reports of financial audits and any recommendations that may have been adopted by the Interstate Commission;
SB 856, Ch. 196(3) HB 1161, Ch. 195(3)	Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund	<p>That the Uninsured Division of the Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund shall:</p> <p>(1)(i) meet with and solicit input from other insurers, producers and producer associations, premium finance companies, the Maryland Insurance Administration, the Motor Vehicle Administration, consumer groups, and others as determined by the Uninsured Division concerning the implementation of methods or programs aimed at reducing the number of uninsured motorists; and</p> <p>(ii) in meeting with and soliciting input from the parties specified under item (i) of this item:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. determine a targeted reduced amount of the rate of uninsured motorists in the State that may be achieved with the implementation of methods or programs; 2. identify methods or programs that could be effective in reducing the number of uninsured motorists, including providing insurance premium credits or other rate subsidies to vehicle owners who are unable to afford insurance; 3. consider the involvement of other insurers and producers for each method or program; 4. identify the amount of funds needed to implement each method or program and possible sources of additional funding, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. altering the funding formula under § 17-106 of the Transportation Article; or B. requesting funding, if needed, through a budget appropriation beginning with fiscal year 2020; and <p>(iii) review any other issue that the Uninsured Division considers appropriate relating to reducing the number of uninsured motorists;</p> <p>(2) determine the effectiveness of efforts to educate consumers regarding:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the security requirements under the Maryland Vehicle Law, including the proof of insurance provisions; (ii) the sources of automobile insurance in the State, including private insurers and the Fund; and (iii) how to shop for automobile insurance and the methods by which automobile insurance may be purchased, including through insurance producers; and <p>(3) on or before December 1, 2019, report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>

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SB 856, Ch. 196(4) HB 1161, Ch. 195(4)	Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund	<p>That the Uninsured Division of the Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund shall, within 60 days after the end of the Program period for the Program to Incentivize and Enable Uninsured Vehicle Owners to Be Insured as established under § 20–612 of the Insurance Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the results of the Program; (2) the demographics of the Program participants, including gender, age, and zip code, and the insurance companies with whom participants obtained insurance; (3) any analysis or information relating to the implementation and effectiveness of the Program that the Uninsured Division considers appropriate; and (4) any recommendations to implement other programs aimed at reducing the number of uninsured motorists.
SB 1010, Ch. 739((2)(c)) HB 1596, Ch. 738((2)(c)) SG § 20-208(b)	Maryland Commission on Civil Rights	<p>(2) On or before ... December 15, 2022, the Commission [on Civil Rights] shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) review a random selection of surveys submitted under subsection (b) of this section; (ii) create an executive summary of the randomly selected surveys, redacting any identifying information for specific employers; and (iii) submit the executive summary to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee.
SB 1010, Ch. 739((2)(c)) HB 1596, Ch. 738((2)(c))	Maryland Commission on Civil Rights	<p>(2) On or before December 15, 2020, ... the Commission [on Civil Rights] shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) review a random selection of surveys submitted under subsection (b) of this section; (ii) create an executive summary of the randomly selected surveys, redacting any identifying information for specific employers; and (iii) submit the executive summary to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee. <p>[Website Post]</p>
HB 1009, Ch. 90	Maryland Department of Health	<p>(d) On or before December 31, 2018, the Workgroup [on the Licensing of Food Service Facilities] shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee of the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (b) The Deputy Secretary for Public Health Services shall appoint the members of the Workgroup, which shall include stakeholders.</p>
HB 1696, Ch. 798	Maryland Department of Health Task Force to Study Access to Home Health Care for Children & Adults With Medical Disabilities & Report on Home– & Community–Based Services	<p>(h) On or before November 30, 2018, the Task Force [to Study Access to Home Health Care for Children and Adults With Medical Disabilities and Report on Home–and Community–Based Services] shall report its findings and recommendations to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, the Senate Finance Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the House Health and Government Operations Committee in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Maryland Department of Health shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>

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HB 1696, Ch. 798	Maryland Department of Health Task Force to Study Access to Home Health Care for Children & Adults With Medical Disabilities & Report on Home- & Community-Based Services	<p>(h) On or before November 30, 2018, the Task Force [to Study Access to Home Health Care for Children and Adults With Medical Disabilities and Report on Home- and Community-Based Services] shall report its findings and recommendations to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, the Senate Finance Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the House Health and Government Operations Committee in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Maryland Department of Health shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>
HB 1696, Ch. 798(2)	Maryland Department of Health Task Force to Study Access to Home Health Care for Children & Adults With Medical Disabilities & Report on Home-and Community-Based Services	<p>(a) The Maryland Department of Health shall:</p> <p>(1) for home-and community-based services provided under Program M00Q01.03 Medical Care Provider Reimbursements – Medical Care Programs Administration or the Rare and Expensive Case Management Program:</p> <p>(i) compare the rate of reimbursement with the actual cost to providers, to the extent information is publicly available, for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. providing care to individuals approved for direct care services; 2. coordinating care services; and 3. providing any other services; and <p>(ii) review:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. specific services required to be provided; 2. any licensure requirements imposed on entities that provide the home- and community- based services; 3. any requirements imposed by a health occupations board that are specific to individuals providing home- and community-based services; and 4. any other State or local requirements associated with the cost of providing the services in the State; <p>(2) determine, to the extent information is publicly available, the costs associated with providing service and care under other home- and community-based programs; and</p> <p>(3) in making the determination under item (2) of this subsection, consult with persons providing the services required under each home- and community-based program, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) entities providing adult medical day care; (ii) private duty nurses; (iii) assisted living providers; and (iv) personal care assistance providers. <p>(b) On or before November 30, 2018, the Maryland Department of Health shall report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Maryland Department of Health shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3305.2(b)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	The [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabi] Commission may report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, any information that the Commission determines to be necessary to the consideration, development, or implementation of any remedial measures required under this section.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3305.2(b)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	The [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabi] Commission may report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, any information that the Commission determines to be necessary to the consideration, development, or implementation of any remedial measures required under this section.

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HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3306(a)(iii)1.	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Subject to subparagraph 2 of this subparagraph, on or before beginning December 1, 2024, the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission may report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the number of licenses necessary to meet the demand for medical cannabis by qualifying patients and caregivers issued identification cards under this subtitle in an affordable, accessible, secure, and efficient manner.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3306(a)(iii)2.	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Before the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission determines to submit the report described under subparagraph 1 of this subparagraph, the Commission shall provide the Legislative Policy Committee at least 30 days to submit comments to the Commission.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3307(a)(2)(i)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Subject to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, beginning December 1, 2024, the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission may report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the number of licenses necessary to meet the demand for medical cannabis by qualifying patients and caregivers issued identification cards under this subtitle in an affordable, accessible, secure, and efficient manner.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3307(a)(2)(ii)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Before the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission determines to submit the report described under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, the Commission shall provide the Legislative Policy Committee at least 30 days to submit comments to the Commission.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3309(c)(2)(i)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Subject to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, beginning December 1, 2024, the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission may report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the number of licenses necessary to meet the demand for medical cannabis by qualifying patients and caregivers issued identification cards under this subtitle in an affordable, accessible, secure, and efficient manner.
HB 2, Ch. 598 HG § 13-3309(c)(2)(ii)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	Before the [Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis] Commission determines to submit the report described under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, the Commission shall provide the Legislative Policy Committee at least 30 days to submit comments to the Commission.
HB 2, Ch. 598(12)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	That, on or before January 1, 2019, the Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on potential rules and regulations governing marketing and advertising practices of entities licensed and certified by the Commission.
HB 2, Ch. 598(13)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	That, on or before January 1, 2019, the Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health, shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the treatment of an opioid use disorder by using medical cannabis.

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HB 2, Ch. 598(7)	Maryland Department of Health Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission	<p>(a) It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission submit the emergency regulations described under § 13–3305.2(a)(3) of the Health – General Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, on or before June 1, 2018.</p> <p>(b) Until the submission of the emergency regulations described under § 13–3305.2(a)(3) of the Health – General Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, the Commission shall report, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, at least once every 30 days to the following committees of the General Assembly on the progress towards submitting the emergency regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the Joint Committee on Administrative, Executive, and Legislative Review; (2) the Senate Finance Committee; and (3) the House Health and Government Operations Committee.

<p>HB 922, Ch. 211 HG § 7.5-701</p>	<p>Maryland Department of Health</p>	<p>(c)(1) beginning July 1, 2019, and each year thereafter, the Secretary [of Department of Health] shall provide a report on the findings of the examination required under subsection (a) of this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>(2) the report required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall:</p> <p>(i) include an assessment of the factors associated with fatal and nonfatal opioid overdose risk and an assessment of the programs targeted at opioid use and misuse, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. utilization of mental health and substance use disorder treatment and recovery support services, including claims data from the maryland medical assistance program; 2. utilization of hospital services; 3. utilization of emergency medical services; 4. utilization of controlled prescription drugs and antidotes; 5. involvement with the state and local criminal justice system, including arrest, incarceration, and community supervision; 6. involvement with social services agencies; 7. socioeconomic status, race, age, ethnicity, location of overdose, marital status, and employment status; 8. education status; and 9. access to public or private health insurance coverage; <p>(ii) identify and assess methods of intervening with populations found to be at risk of overdose or a substance use disorder; and</p> <p>(iii) include recommendations for improving and providing statewide prevention, response, and data collection efforts related to substance use disorder.</p> <p>(3) the assessment required under paragraph (2) of this subsection shall include accessing, and where feasible links to, the following data sets:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) overdose deaths and other fatal drug poisonings; (ii) substance use treatment; (iii) prescription drug monitoring program; (iv) emergency medical services database; (v) select birth information for children exposed to opioids during gestation; (vi) cancer registry; (vii) cause and manner of death and toxicology; (viii) hospital case mix, emergency department and inpatient records associated with substance use disorder and nonfatal controlled dangerous substance-related poisonings; (ix) all payer claims database; (x) corrections mental health and substance use disorder data and incarcerations in correctional facilities including county detention centers; (xi) needle exchange program; (xii) drug seizures; (xiii) index of concentration at the extremes; (xiv) maryland violent death records system; (xv) electronic surveillance system for the early notification of community-based epidemics; (xvi) vital statistics; (xvii) state and local fatality review records; and (xviii) Maryland Medical Assistance Program Pharmacy claims. <p>(4) on or before September 1, 2018, each entity identified under subsection (b) of this section shall provide data to the Department in accordance with this section and enter into a data sharing use agreement with the Department.</p> <p>(d) any records and information provided to the Department in accordance with this section that could identify any individual are not public records and are not subject to discovery, subpoena, or other means of legal compulsion in civil or criminal litigation.</p>
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		(e) the Department shall seek any available federal funding to implement the requirements of this section.
HB 922, Ch. 211	Maryland Department of Health	That, the Maryland Department of Health shall: (1) examine the feasibility of establishing a Hub and Spoke model program in the State; (2) develop a proposed model for the State and determine the cost of the model; and (3) on or before January 1, 2019, report to the Senate Finance Committee, the House Health and Government Operations Committee, and the Joint Committee on Behavioral Health and Opioid Use Disorders, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the findings of the examination.
SB 1056, Ch. 606 HG § 2-908(a)(3)	Maryland Department of Health	On or before December 1, 2020, the [Rural Health] Collaborative shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 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.
SB 1056, Ch. 606 HG § 2-908(b)	Maryland Department of Health	On or before December 1, 2021, and December 1 each year thereafter, the [Rural Health] Collaborative shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on its activities regarding health care delivery in the mid–shore region, including: (1) the number of rural health complexes approved; (2) the effect that each rural health complex had on the health status of the overall population and the vulnerable population in its community; and (3) the effect that rural health complexes have had on the available community–based health care resources in communities where complexes have been established.
SB 13, Ch. 436 HB 115, Ch. 435	Maryland Department of Health Maryland Health Care Commission	(b) On or before January 1, 2020, the Maryland Health Care Commission, in consultation with interested stakeholders, shall report its findings and recommendations [Maryland Health Care Commission – Electronic Prescription Records System] to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
SB 187, Ch. 10(20)	Maryland Department of Health Health Services Cost Review Commission	(a)(1) The Maryland Department of Health and the Health Services Cost Review Commission shall develop 5–year and 10–year Medicaid–specific cost savings targets, which shall include a reduction in total hospital costs, total cost–of–care, and quality measures. (2) The Medicaid–specific cost savings targets developed under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be established in addition to, and apart from, any Medicaid–related or Medicaid–specific goals included in the successor all–payer model contract. (b) On or before December 15, 2018, the Department and the Commission shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the Medicaid–specific targets developed and an implementation plan to achieve the targets. (c) On or before December 15, 2019, the Department and the Commission shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on its progress in meeting the Medicaid–specific targets that have been developed.

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<p>SB 266, Ch. 83 HB 716, Ch. 82</p>	<p>Maryland Department of Health Maryland Health Care Commission</p>	<p>(a) The Maryland Health Care Commission, in consultation with the Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities, the Maternal and Child Health Bureau, the Vital Statistics Administration, and interested stakeholders, shall conduct a study regarding the mortality rates of African American infants and infants in rural areas.</p> <p>(b) In conducting the study required under subsection (a) of this section, the Maryland Health Care Commission shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) examine factors, beyond the known factors of low birth weight, teen pregnancy, poor nutrition, and lack of prenatal care, affecting the mortality of African American infants and infants in rural areas in the United States and in the State; (2) research programs in other countries, states, and localities, including Baltimore City, that have aimed to reduce the infant mortality rate; (3) make recommendations on methods to reduce the mortality rate of African American infants and infants in rural areas; (4) make recommendations on ways to use pregnancy navigators or community health workers to assist pregnant women with the goal of reducing the infant mortality rate; (5) make legislative recommendations regarding the establishment of a permanent council for lowering rates of disparity with respect to infant mortality; and (6) make recommendations regarding methods to reduce the costs associated with low birth weight infants and with infant mortality. <p>(c) On or before November 1, 2019, the Maryland Health Care Commission shall report its findings and recommendations, including draft legislation establishing a permanent council on infant mortality in the State, to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p>
<p>SB 284, Ch. 621(2)</p>	<p>Maryland Department of Health</p>	<p>(a) The Maryland Department of Health shall meet with interested stakeholders to obtain input on the design of the application for an amendment to the State’s § 1115 HealthChoice Demonstration waiver to implement a pilot program to provide limited dental coverage to adult Maryland Medical Assistance Program recipients.</p> <p>(b) On or before December 1, 2018, the Department shall report to the Governor and the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of the application for an amendment to the State’s § 1115 HealthChoice Demonstration waiver to implement a pilot program to provide limited dental coverage to adult Maryland Medical Assistance Program recipients.</p>

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SB 574, Ch. 490 HB 1467, Ch. 489	Maryland Department of Health Sepsis Public Awareness Campaign Workgroup	<p>(a)(1) The Secretary of Health shall establish a Sepsis Public Awareness Campaign Workgroup.</p> <p>(2) The Workgroup shall include the following members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) two individuals who have had sepsis or have a family member who has had sepsis; (ii) two representatives of hospitals; (iii) one licensed emergency medicine physician; (iv) one licensed primary care physician; (v) one licensed pediatrician; (vi) one representative of a local health department; (vii) one representative of the Maryland Patient Safety Center; (viii) one representative of the Maryland Nurses Association; (ix) one representative from the Maryland State Department of Education; (x) one representative from the Maryland Department of Health; (xi) one infection control professional; and (xii) one individual with expertise in public communication. <p>(b) The Workgroup shall:</p> <p>(1) develop a public awareness campaign on sepsis awareness and prevention that includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) a definition of sepsis; (ii) the risks associated with sepsis; (iii) how sepsis may occur; (iv) the signs and symptoms of sepsis; (v) what to do if symptoms of sepsis are present; and (vi) methods for prevention of sepsis; <p>(c) On or before December 1, 2018, the Workgroup shall report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the public awareness campaign developed under subsection (b) of this section.</p>
SB 66, Ch. 155 HB 1159, Ch. 154 HG § 4-219(d)(4)	Maryland Department of Health	<p>(d)(1) in addition to the requirements of subsections (a) through (c) of this section, the Secretary [of Health] shall publish an annual report on the suicides of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) veterans; and (ii) members currently serving in the armed services of the united states. <p>(2) the report may include only information regarding the age, sex, race or ethnicity, nature of service if known, and method of suicide of the veteran or armed services member.</p> <p>(3) the report shall include aggregate information for the lesser of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the previous 5 years; or (ii) the total number of years for which information is available. <p>(4) on or before December 1 each year, the Secretary shall submit the report to the state Department of Veterans Affairs and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, the Senate Finance Committee, and the House Health and Government Operations Committee.</p>

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<p>SB 660, Ch. 447 HB 1280, Ch. 446</p>	<p>Maryland Department of Health</p>	<p>(a) The Maryland Department of Health shall establish a demonstration program supported by State general funds to cover health care services that are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) provided to individuals who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) are at least 21 years old and under the age of 65 years; (ii) are enrolled in the Employed Individuals with Disabilities Program operated under the Maryland Medical Assistance Program; and (iii) have a qualifying condition as determined by the Secretary of Health; and (2) not covered under the Maryland Medical Assistance Program. <p>(b) The Department may establish:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) eligibility criteria for enrollment in the demonstration program; (2) criteria for services to be covered under the demonstration program; (3) a cap on the number of individuals enrolled in the demonstration program; and (4) criteria for administration of the demonstration program. <p>(c)(1) On or before December 1, 2020, the Department shall submit to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee a report on the demonstration program established under this section.</p> <p>(2) The report required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include the findings and recommendations of the Department relating to the demonstration program, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the number and characteristics of individuals enrolled in the demonstration program; (ii) the health care services covered under the demonstration program; (iii) the impact of the demonstration program on individuals enrolled in the demonstration program; and (iv) whether to extend the demonstration program.
<p>SB 682, Ch. 605</p>	<p>Maryland Department of Health Maryland Health Care Commission Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems</p>	<p>(a)(1) The Maryland Health Care Commission and the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health, the Health Services Cost Review Commission, the Maryland Hospital Association, the Maryland State Medical Society, the Maryland Nurses Association, and managed care organizations in the State, jointly shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) develop a statewide plan for the reimbursement of services provided by emergency medical services providers to Maryland Medical Assistance Program recipients, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. mobile integrated health services; 2. emergency medical services without transport; and 3. emergency medical services with transport to an alternative destination; and (ii) identify a process for obtaining Medicare reimbursement for the services specified under item (i) of this paragraph. <p>(2) On or before January 1, 2019, the Maryland Health Care Commission and the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems jointly shall submit a report that includes the plan developed and a description of the process identified under paragraph (1) of this subsection to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>

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SB 682, Ch. 605	Maryland Department of Health Maryland Health Care Commission Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems	(b)(1) The Maryland Health Care Commission and the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health, the Health Services Cost Review Commission, the Maryland Hospital Association, the Maryland State Medical Society, the Maryland Nurses Association, and commercial health insurers, nonprofit health service plans, and health maintenance organizations in the State, jointly shall study and make recommendations regarding the desirability and feasibility of reimbursement for services provided by emergency medical services providers to enrollees of health insurers, nonprofit health service plans, and health maintenance organizations, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) mobile integrated health services; (ii) emergency medical services without transport; and (iii) emergency medical services with transport to an alternative destination. (2) On or before January 1, 2019, the Maryland Health Care Commission and the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems jointly shall submit a report on the findings and recommendations from the study required under paragraph (1) of this subsection, including any legislative proposals, to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
SB 703, Ch. 210 HB 1092, Ch. 209 HG § 7.5-208(f)	Maryland Department of Health	On or before December 1 each year beginning in 2020, the Department [of Health] shall submit to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly a report that includes, for the most recent closed fiscal year: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of grants distributed; (2) funds distributed by county; (3) information about grant recipients and programs and services provided; and (4) outcome data reported under the statewide system of measurement required in subsection (d)(6)(ii) of this section. [Behavioral Health Crisis Response Grant Program]
SB 704, Ch. 691(2)	Maryland Department of Health	That, on or before September 30, 2020, the Maryland Department of Health shall report, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee on the effect on Medical Assistance Program general fund expenditures of reimbursing telemedicine services from psychiatrists who are providing Assertive Community Treatment or mobile treatment services, as required by Section 1 of this [Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Telemedicine - Assertive Community Treatment and Mobile Treatment Services] Act.

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SB 765, Ch. 324 HB 772, Ch. 323	Maryland Department of Health	<p>(a) The Secretary of Health shall convene a stakeholder workgroup to make findings and recommendations on issues related to the reimbursement of certified peer recovery specialists, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) whether statutory or regulatory changes are required; and (2) whether an amendment to the State plan or waiver under the federal Social Security Act is required. <p>(b) The workgroup convened under subsection (a) of this section shall include representatives of the Maryland Department of Health, behavioral health providers, certified peer recovery specialists, advocacy organizations, and other interested stakeholders.</p> <p>(c) On or before December 1, 2018, the Secretary of Health shall submit a report on the findings and recommendations of the workgroup convened under subsection (a) of this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>
SB 774, Ch. 465 HB 994, Ch. 464	Maryland Department of Health	<p>(a) The Maryland Department of Health shall establish a workgroup of interested stakeholders to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) advise the Department on the Medicaid Family Planning Program regarding methods for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) streamlining the enrollment process through presumptive eligibility; and (ii) using the Medicaid Family Planning Program to encourage eligible individuals to enroll for full health insurance coverage through the Maryland Medical Assistance Program or through a Qualified Health Plan; and (2) make recommendations to ensure that all participants in the Medicaid Family Planning Program have access to the full range of contraceptive options appropriate for the participant. <p>(b) On or before December 1, 2018, the Department shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the recommendations of the workgroup.</p>
SB 835, Ch. 683 HB 1682, Ch. 684 HG § 15-140(l)	Maryland Department of Health	<p>On or before November 1, 2023, the Department [of Health] shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the Department's findings and recommendations from the [Collaborative Care] Pilot Program.</p>

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SB 896, Ch. 452	Maryland Department of Health Maryland Health Care Commission	<p>(a) The Maryland Health Care Commission shall establish a Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee.</p> <p>(b) The Commission shall select the members of the Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee from:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) managed care organizations, as defined in § 15–101 of the Health – General Article; (2) individuals licensed, certified, or registered under the Health Occupations Article to provide health care; (3) facilities that provide health care to individuals; and (4) persons that provide health care supplies or medications; and (5) health insurers and carriers. <p>(c) The Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee shall study:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the feasibility of creating a health record and payment integration program, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the feasibility of incorporating administrative health care claim transactions into the State–designated health information exchange established under § 19–143 of the Health – General Article for the purpose of improving health care coordination and encounter notification; (ii) the feasibility of establishing a free and secure web–based portal that providers can use, regardless of the method of payment being used for health care services, to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. create and maintain health records; and 2. file for payment for health care services provided; and (iii) the feasibility of incorporating prescription drug monitoring program data into the State–designated health information exchange so that prescription drug data can be entered and retrieved; (2) approaches for accelerating the adjudication of clean claims; and (3) any other issue that the Commission considers appropriate to study to further health and payment record integration. <p>(d) The Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee, to the extent allowed under law, may use the information collected by the State–designated health information exchange established under § 19–143(b) of the Health – General Article in carrying out its duties under subsection (c) of this section.</p> <p>(e)(1) On or before November 1, 2019, the Commission shall submit the findings and recommendations of the Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee to report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>(2) If the Health Record and Payment Integration Program Advisory Committee recommends the creation of a health record and payment integration program, the report submitted under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) recommendations regarding statutory language to establish and maintain the health record and payment integration program; and (ii) an estimate of the funding required to support the health record and payment integration program.

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SB 912, Ch. 559 HB 1685, Ch. 558 HG § 24-1505	Maryland Department of Health A county or municipality awarded a grant from the fund shall	<p>A county or municipality awarded a grant from the [Maryland Prenatal and Infant Care Coordination Services Grant Program] Fund shall submit annually to the Secretary and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly a report that includes data describing:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the services provided; (2) the number of individuals receiving services; (3) outcomes for individuals receiving services; and (4) an assessment of the funded activities’ ability to scale. <p>Staffing Statement: HG § 24–1502. (c) the Secretary [Department of Health] shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) award grants from the Fund; and (2) oversee the operation of the Fund. <p>(placed on MDH list because they can identify who they award grant)</p>

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SB 977, Ch. 692 HB 1517, Ch. 693 HG § 7.5-208(d)	Maryland Department of Health	<p>(a) in consultation with interested stakeholders, the Director [of the Behavioral Health Administration] shall prepare an annual report on behavioral health services for children and young adults in the state.</p> <p>(b) the report shall include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number and the percentage of children and young adults who, during the reported year: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) were eligible for public behavioral health services; and (ii) used a public behavioral health service, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. an inpatient service; 2. an emergency room service; 3. a residential treatment center service; and 4. an intensive public behavioral health service, including targeted or mental health case management services, respite care services, services provided under § 1915(i) of the social security act, and psychiatric rehabilitation services; (2) the total expenditure and expenditure per child and young adult using a public behavioral health service, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) an inpatient service; (ii) an emergency room service; (iii) a residential treatment center service; and (iv) an intensive community service. (3) the total cost per child or young adult for all behavioral health services provided to the child or young adult; (4) the total expenditure and expenditure per child and young adult for: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) targeted case management services; (ii) respite care services; (iii) services provided through a plan under § 1915 (i) of the social security act; and (iv) psychiatric rehabilitation services; (5) the average length of time children and young adults spent: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) in the hospital emergency room pending psychiatric inpatient hospitalization; and (ii) waiting for placement in a residential treatment center from the date of the referral to the date of the placement; (6) the number of children and young adults who were readmitted for a 30-day admission at: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the same hospital; (ii) the same residential treatment center; or (iii) any other hospital or residential treatment center; (7) the average length of stay for children and young adults at: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) a residential treatment center; and (ii) a psychiatric unit at a hospital; and (8) for residential treatment centers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the total number of children and young adults discharged; and (ii) the number of residents at the end of the year who are children or young adults. <p>(c) the report shall group the information required under subsection (b) of this section by jurisdiction and by the following age groups:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) birth through 12 6 years old; (2) 7 through 12 years old; (3) 13 through 17 years old; (4) 18 through 21 years old; and (5) 22 through 25 years old. <p>(d) on or before December 1 each year, the Director [of the Behavioral Health Administration] shall submit the report required under this section to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>

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HB 1468, Ch. 793 TR § 7-1108	Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Transit Administration	On or before December 1, 2021, the [Maryland Transit] Administration shall conduct a study to evaluate the effectiveness of the [Job Access and Reverse Commute] Program and submit the study to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
HB 285, Ch. 295	Maryland Department of Transportation	(a) The Department of Transportation shall collect and consolidate available information from State and local agencies regarding an unmet need for safe pedestrian and bicycle access to schools throughout the State. (b) On or before January 1, 2020, the Department shall report its findings to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
SB 185, Ch. 570	Maryland Department of Transportation	It is the intent of the General Assembly that, at least 45 days before requesting the official designation of a public–private partnership under Section 10A–201(c) of the State Finance and Procurement Article, the reporting agency for a transportation facilities project, as defined in Section 4–101(h) of the Transportation Article, shall submit an outline of the environmental screening analysis of environmental issues to be examined in the draft environmental impact statement, to the Comptroller of Maryland, the State Treasurer, the budget committees, and the Department of Legislative Services, in accordance with Section 2–1246 of the State Government Article.
SB 277, Ch. 351(3) HB 372, Ch. 352(3) TR § 7-309(c)	Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Transit Administration	On or before July 1, 2019, and on or before July 1 every 3 years thereafter, the [Maryland Transit] Administration shall, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, submit the assessment required under subsection (a) of this section to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the House Environment and Transportation Committee.
SB 277, Ch. 351(4) HB 372, Ch. 352(4)	Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Transit Administration	(a) Section 1 of this [Maryland Metro/Transit Funding] Act is contingent on: (1) the Commonwealth of Virginia enacting legislation providing for dedicated capital funding for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority of at least \$154,000,000; and (2) the District of Columbia enacting legislation providing for dedicated capital funding for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority of at least \$178,000,000. (b) The Department of Transportation shall notify the Department of Legislative Services in writing within 5 days after both the Commonwealth of Virginia and the District of Columbia have enacted legislation that meets the requirements of subsection (a) of this section. (c) Section 1 of this Act shall take effect on the date that the Department of Legislative Services receives notice under subsection (b) of this section.

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SB 383, Ch. 336(2) HB 1622, Ch. 335(2)	Maryland Department of Transportation	That the agency designated by the Board of Public Works under § 14–303(b) of the State Finance and Procurement Article to certify and decertify minority business enterprises, in consultation with the General Assembly and the Office of the Attorney General, shall initiate a study of the Minority Business Enterprise Program to evaluate the Program’s continued compliance with the requirements of the decision of <i>Richmond v. J.A. Croson Co.</i> , 488 U.S. 469 (1989) and any subsequent federal or constitutional requirements. In preparation for the study, the State Lottery and Gaming Control Commission shall require video lottery operation license applicants and licensees to provide any information necessary to perform the study. The study shall also evaluate race-neutral programs or other methods that can be used to address the needs of minority investors and minority businesses. The final report on the study shall be submitted to the Legislative Policy Committee on or before December 14, 2018, so that the General Assembly may review the report before the 2019 Session.
SB 407, Ch. 722 HB 535, Ch. 721 TR § 8-908	Maryland Department of Transportation	(a) on or before December 31 each year, the Department [of Transportation] shall submit a report to the Senate Finance Committee, Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, House Appropriations Committee, and House Environment and Transportation Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of the program. (b) the report required under subsection (a) of this section shall include: (1) the status of any grant projects funded by the program; and (2) a discussion of whether there is a need to reevaluate the program to ensure that it is meeting the goals stated in § 8–903(b) of this subtitle. (c) the report required under subsection (a) of this section shall be made available on the Department’s Website.
SB 407, Ch. 722(2) HB 535, Ch. 721(2)	Maryland Department of Transportation	That, on or before December 1, 2020, the Maryland Department of Transportation, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, shall issue a report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Environment and Transportation Committee on how the required local funding match is implemented and the effectiveness of the local match requirement.

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SB 743, Ch. 852(5)	Maryland Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Administration	<p>That, on or before December 31, 2019:</p> <p>(1) the Motor Vehicle Administration shall:</p> <p>(i) identify and compile information that could assist the General Assembly in determining a fair and equitable State taxation on sales and charges made in connection with a shared motor vehicle used for peer-to-peer car sharing and made available on a peer-to-peer car sharing program;</p> <p>(ii) in identifying and compiling information under item (i) of this item, consider:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. a comparison of excise titling taxes and other motor vehicle fees in the State: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. relating to short-term vehicle rentals, including exemption from excise titling tax at the time of purchase of rental vehicles, reduced certificate of title fees at time of purchase of rental vehicles, reduced vehicle registration fees at time of purchase of rental vehicles, and reduced vehicle registration fees for biennial renewal of vehicle registrations; with B. relating to peer-to-peer car sharing, including excise titling tax at the time of purchase of shared motor vehicles by shared vehicle owners, certificate of title fees at the time of purchase of shared motor vehicles by shared vehicle owners, vehicle registration fees at the time of purchase of shared motor vehicles by shared vehicle owners, and vehicle registration fees for biennial renewal of vehicle registrations; 2. a comparison of excise titling taxes and other motor vehicle fees relating to short-term vehicle rentals and peer-to-peer car sharing in other states; 3. a trend of the excise titling taxes and other motor vehicle fees collected by the Administration on short-term vehicle rentals in the State; 4. any other information that the Administration determines relevant to identifying and compiling information that could assist the General Assembly in making the determination described in item (i) of this item; and <p>(iii) report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on its findings and any recommendations;</p>
SB 973, Ch. 547(2)	Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Transportation Authority	<p>That, on or before December 1, 2020, the Maryland Transportation Authority shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on its progress in improving access to its customer service operations, including enhanced use of e-mails, text messaging, and other methods of wireless communications.</p>

Citation	Agency	Topic
SB 1068, Ch. 732(4) HB 1634, Ch. 731(4)	Maryland Financial Consumer Protection Commission Department of Legislative Services	<p>That the Maryland Financial Consumer Protection Commission established under Chapters 18 and 781 of the Acts of 2017 shall:</p> <p>(1) study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) cryptocurrencies, initial coin offerings, cryptocurrency exchanges, and other blockchain technologies; and (ii) the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau arbitration rule and the Model State Consumer and Employee Justice Enforcement Act, including reviewing similar laws adopted in other states; (iii) the possible exemption of retailers of manufactured homes from the definition of “mortgage originator” in federal law; and (iv) the U.S. Department of Labor rule and any Securities and Exchange Commission actions in addressing conflicts of interest of dealers offering investment advice by aligning the standard of care for broker–dealers with that of the fiduciary duty of investment advisors; and <p>(2) include recommendations in its 2018 report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) State action to regulate cryptocurrencies, initial coin offerings, and cryptocurrency exchanges; (ii) changes to State law to provide the protection intended by the Model State Consumer and Employee Justice Enforcement Act; (iii) changes to State law to provide the protection intended by the U.S. Department of Labor conflicts of interest rule addressing fiduciary duty standards of care; and (iv) clarification of State law to ensure that Maryland buyers of manufactured homes are protected in their home–buying transaction. <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Department of Legislative Services shall provide staff for the Commission. [Adds to report required under SB 884/Ch. 18, 2017 & HB 1134/Ch. 781, 2017.]</p>
SB 1099, Ch. 753(2) SG § 2-206(1)	Maryland General Assembly Joint Audit Committee	<p>The [Joint Audit] Committee shall:</p> <p>(1) beginning with the 2018 audit, review the Baltimore Police Department’s audit reports issued by the Baltimore City Comptroller and submit findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of this title, with respect to issues in audit reports; and</p> <p>(2) review the audit process and procedures and provide comment and recommendations, in accordance with § 2–1246 of this title, to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, the Executive Director of the Department of Legislative Services, and the Legislative Auditor.</p>
SB 1099, Ch. 753(2) SG § 2-206(1)	Maryland General Assembly Joint Audit Committee	<p>The [Joint Audit] Committee shall:</p> <p>(1) beginning with the 2018 audit, review the Baltimore Police Department’s audit reports issued by the Baltimore City Comptroller and submit findings and recommendations to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of this title, with respect to issues in audit reports; and</p> <p>(2) review the audit process and procedures and provide comment and recommendations, in accordance with § 2–1246 of this title, to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, the Executive Director of the Department of Legislative Services, and the Legislative Auditor.</p>

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SB 1099, Ch. 753(2) SG § 2-206(2)	Maryland General Assembly Joint Audit Committee	<p>The [Joint Audit] Committee shall: ...</p> <p>(2) review the audit process and procedures and provide comment and recommendations, in accordance with § 2-1246 of this title, to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, the Executive Director of the Department of Legislative Services, and the Legislative Auditor.</p>
HB 605, Ch. 620	Maryland Health & Higher Educational Facilities Authority	<p>(a) No later than 2 months after receipt of the funding specified in subsection (c) of this section, the Maryland Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority shall engage an outside consultant to conduct a market-specific study to determine the costs of, demand for, and long-term viability of a State student loan refinancing program in Maryland.</p> <p>(b)(1) The market-specific study conducted by the consultant shall examine all of the areas recommended in the report published in October 2017 entitled “Student Loan Refinancing in Maryland: Findings and Recommendations Related to the Advisability of Establishing a State Student Loan Refinancing Program”, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) a cost analysis; (ii) a demand analysis; (iii) an analysis of the competitive landscape of the student loan refinancing marketplace; (iv) the potential savings borrowers might realize and the potential economic impact on the State; and (v) the financial implications of establishing a direct student loan program in addition to a student loan refinancing program. <p>(2)(i) Not later than 3 months after being engaged by the Maryland Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority to conduct the market-specific study, the consultant shall report to the Authority on each of the areas the study is required to examine.</p> <p>(ii) The consultant’s report shall include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. information on and analysis of each of the areas the study is required to examine; 2. a description of the methodologies used in the study; and 3. findings and recommendations regarding each of the areas the study is required to examine. <p>(c) If the annual budget bill for fiscal year 2019 does not include an appropriation of \$250,000 to the Maryland Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority to fund the market-specific consultant study required under subsection (a) of this section, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill for fiscal year 2020 an appropriation of \$250,000 for that purpose.</p> <p>(d) Not later than 30 days after receiving the consultant’s report, the Maryland Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) review the consultant’s report, including the consultant’s analysis, methodology, findings, and recommendations; and (2) make comments or recommendations related to the report, including the advisability of establishing a State student loan refinancing program, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee the Senate Finance Committee, the House Committee on Ways and Means, and the House Economic Matters Committee in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.

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HB 16, Ch. 554 ED § 18-3407	Maryland Higher Education Commission	<p>On or before December 1, 2020, and each December 1 thereafter, the [Maryland Higher Education] Commission shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the implementation of the Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship Program, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of applicants who received a Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship in the academic year; (2) the number of scholarship recipients enrolled in an associate’s degree program; (3) the number of scholarship recipients enrolled in a vocational certificate program; (4) the number of scholarship recipients enrolled in a certificate program; (5) the amount of the award made to each scholarship recipient; (6) the number of eligible applicants, if any, who were placed on a waiting list and the amount of demonstrated financial need, in the aggregate, of those applicants; (7) the number of scholarship recipients who earned an associate’s degree within 2, 3, or 4 years after receiving an award; (8) the number of scholarship recipients who earned a vocational certificate within 1, 2, or 3 years after receiving an award; (9) the number of scholarship recipients who transferred to a 4-year institution in the state; and (10) the actual and potential impact of the program on enrollment rates at community colleges and 4-year public institutions in the state.
SB 615, Ch. 567 HB 1819, Ch. 566 ED § 11-1404(b)	Maryland Higher Education Commission	<p>(a) the [Maryland Higher Education] Commission shall compare successful completers of each [Cyber Warrior Diversity] Program to similarly situated students who did not enroll in either Program with regard to the following characteristics:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) employment rate; (2) wage earnings; and (3) job retention rate. <p>(b) on or before December 1, 2021, the Commission shall report its findings to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>
SB 137, Ch. 65(3) HB 135, Ch. 64(3)	Maryland Insurance Administration	<p>(a) This Act shall remain effective until the United States Secretary of the Treasury or other United States Treasury official determines that a high-deductible health plan that meets the coverage requirements relating to male sterilization under § 15-826.2 of the Insurance Article meets the qualifications for health savings account-qualified high-deductible health plans under the safe harbor provisions for “preventive care” under § 223(c)(2)(c) of the Internal Revenue Code.</p> <p>(b) If the United States Secretary of the Treasury or other United States Treasury official makes the determination described in subsection (a) of this section, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.</p> <p>(c) If the Maryland Insurance Commissioner receives notice of the determination described in subsection (a) of this section, the Commissioner shall, within 5 days after receiving notice of the determination, forward a copy of the notice to the Department of Legislative Services, 90 State Circle, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.</p>

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HB 1607, Ch. 565	Maryland State Department of Education	<p>(a) On or before January 1, 2019, the State Department of Education shall convene a workgroup to analyze the results of the [Juvenile Services Education County] Pilot Program established under § 22–308 of the Education Article. ...</p> <p>(f) The workgroup shall study the results of the pilot program and make recommendations regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) whether the Pilot Program was more effective in meeting the needs of students in Juvenile Services Education Programs than the current management model; (2) the management model that should be used to provide Juvenile Services Education Programs, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the current model operated by the State Department of Education; (ii) a model where local school systems operate the programs on a regionalized basis; and (iii) a model where an independent board of education operates The Juvenile Services Education Programs; (3) a funding formula that is adequate and appropriate for Juvenile Services Education Programs; (4) whether a 9–month or 12–month academic calendar is appropriate; (5) how to ensure that students and their educational needs seamlessly and effectively transition between the student’s home school and the Juvenile Services Education Program and that students receive credit for their academic progress; (6) how to best address staffing, curriculum, and procurement challenges in the current system, whether through new processes or a new management system; and (7) how to ensure that students in Juvenile Services Education Programs who have completed a high school diploma or GED have access to postsecondary options; and (8) how to eliminate disparities in course offerings, staffing, and budgetary support available to students in the Juvenile Services Education System and to students served by public schools in the State. <p>(g) On or before December 1, 2019, the workgroup shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p>
HB 568, Ch. 381	Maryland State Department of Education	<p>That, on or before July 1, 2019, ... the State Department of Education shall report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Ways and Means, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) development and implementation of best practices in the areas of data governance, transparency, and professional development; (2) levels of engagement by county boards; (3) barriers to engagement, if any, including fiscal, statutory, or workplace obstacles; and (4) any recommended statutory changes.
HB 568, Ch. 381	Maryland State Department of Education	<p>That, on or before ... July 1, 2020, the State Department of Education shall report to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Ways and Means, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) development and implementation of best practices in the areas of data governance, transparency, and professional development; (2) levels of engagement by county boards; (3) barriers to engagement, if any, including fiscal, statutory, or workplace obstacles; and (4) any recommended statutory changes.

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SB 1265, Ch. 30 ED § 7-1509(c)	Maryland State Department of Education	The Department [of Education] shall notify the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Legislative Policy Committee of proposed changes to regulations that alter the annual schedule of drills as provided under this section.
SB 1265, Ch. 30 ED § 7-1502(g)	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	The Center [for School Safety] shall perform the following functions and duties: (18) Submit to the General Assembly and the Governor a summary of reports on school resource officer and local law enforcement agency coverage in public schools as required under § 7–1508 of this subtitle. Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety. (b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education]. (c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.
SB 1265, Ch. 30 ED § 7–1507(e)(3)	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	On or before October 1, 2018, and each October 1 thereafter, the Center [for School Safety] shall submit a summary of the reports required under this subsection to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly. Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety. (b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education]. (c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.
SB 1265, Ch. 30 ED § 7–1507(h)(2)	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	On or before December 1, 2020, and each December 1 thereafter, the Center [for School Safety] shall submit a report on the data collected under paragraph (1) of this subsection for each jurisdiction, in accordance with federal and state law, to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly. Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety. (b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education]. (c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.
SB 1265, Ch. 30 ED § 7-1510(g)	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	(3)(i) the Center [for School Safety] shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly within 45 days after a local school system has filed a report on the after–action review and evaluation under paragraph (2)(iii) of this subsection. (ii) the Center shall include in the report filed under this paragraph: 1. lessons learned from the life–threatening incident; and 2. any recommendations for improving school safety. Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety. (b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education]. (c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.

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SB 1265, Ch. 30(10) ED § 7-1510	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	<p>That the Maryland Center for School Safety shall submit a report on the proposed uses of the additional resources appropriated in Supplemental Budget No. 1 of the fiscal year 2019 operating budget (S.B. 185/Chapter 570 of the Acts of 2018) for the operations of the Center, including the allocation of 13 additional positions, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee not later than July 1, 2018. The budget committees shall have 45 days to review and comment on the proposed uses of the funds before any of the additional funds are expended.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety.</p> <p>(b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education].</p> <p>(c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.</p>
SB 1265, Ch. 30(12) ED § 7-1510	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Center for School Safety	<p>(a)(1) The School Safety Subcabinet shall submit a report evaluating:</p> <p>(i) the plans for delivering behavioral health and wraparound services to students exhibiting behaviors of concern that mental health services coordinators are required to develop under § 7–1511 of the Education Article, as enacted by Section 4 of this Act; and</p> <p>(ii) the availability of mental health services and practitioners to address the needs of school–age children in the State.</p> <p>(2) Specifically, the report required under this subsection should:</p> <p>(i) review, by jurisdiction, the number of outpatient treatment, acute care services, residential–based treatment, support services, and other community–based services utilized by children over the past 3 years;</p> <p>(ii) identify the gaps in available community–based mental and behavioral health services for school–age children, by jurisdiction;</p> <p>(iii) review, by jurisdiction, the number of mental health and behavioral health service providers licensed by the State who provide services to children;</p> <p>(iv) review, by jurisdiction, the number and types of school–based services, programs, and professionals involved in the provision of behavioral and mental health services;</p> <p>(v) assess what steps are being taken by State or local government agencies to identify areas of service delivery in schools and in the community that are not meeting the current demand or where sufficient services do not exist;</p> <p>(vi) identify any gaps in treatment capacity and school– and community–based mental health services that are limiting the ability of students to access needed care; and</p> <p>(vii) make recommendations on how to address any gaps in treatment and capacity identified.</p> <p>(b) The report required under this section shall be submitted to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly not later than December 1, 2018.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: ED § 7–1502(a) There is a Maryland Center for School Safety.</p> <p>(b) The Center is an independent unit within the Department [of Education].</p> <p>(c) The Center shall be based at the Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center.</p>

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SB 161, Ch. 385(2) HB 622, Ch. 386(2)	Maryland State Department of Education Maryland Department of Health	<p>(a) The State Department of the Education and the Maryland Department of Health, in consultation with local school systems, local health departments, and other interested stakeholders, shall establish a plan for all public school health services programs in the State to provide sickle cell disease management services through implementation of policies and programs so students with sickle cell disease management can:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) remain safe in school; (2) be supported for optimal academic achievement; and (3) fully participate in all aspects of school programming, including after-school activities and other school-sponsored events. <p>(b) On or before December 1, 2018, the State Department of Education and the Maryland Department of Health shall report on the implementation of this Act, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Ways and Means.</p>
HB 993, Ch. 769 SPP § 21-116(e)	Maryland State Retirement Agency	<p>Consistent with its fiduciary duties, on or before January 31, 2019, and every year thereafter, the Board of Trustees shall submit a report on the risk assessment of the several systems, including climate risk, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly.</p> <p>(ii) the assessment shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. identify recent studies or actions on climate change by other u.s. state public pension funds, financial institutions, or climate risk experts, including those related to disclosure, risk assessment, investment principles, or other related issues or activities; 2. based on the information obtained in item 1 of this subparagraph, recommend best practices and consider whether these best practices can be incorporated into the investment policy manual; 3. examine the potential magnitude of the long-term risks and opportunities of multiple climate scenarios and related regulatory developments across industry sectors, asset classes, and the total portfolio of the several systems; and 4. include any other information the Board of Trustees or Investment Committee deems necessary. <p>(iii) the state retirement agency shall post a report regarding the risk assessment on its website.</p>
HB 150, Ch. 121 LG § 28-1A-05(b)	Montgomery County Montgomery County Board of Education Compensation Commission	<p>The [Montgomery County Board of Education Compensation] Commission shall issue a report to the members of the Montgomery County Delegation to the General Assembly on or before September 1, 2019, and every 4 years thereafter, regarding its recommendations for the appropriate compensation for members of The Montgomery County Board Of Education, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) any additional stipend for the President of the County Board; and (2) a scholarship amount to be awarded to a student member of the county board who completes a full term on the County Board to be applied toward the student's higher education costs. <p>Staffing Statement: LG § 28-1A-04. (d) the Montgomery County Government shall provide staff for the Commission.</p>

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SB 350, Ch. 417	Morgan State University, Institute for Urban Research	<p>(a) The Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall convene a task force to foster reconciliation and inclusionary justice and work toward achieving racial equity by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) increasing awareness through public discussions about the nature, extent, causes, and consequences of racial inequities; (2) involving individuals and public and private entities, including African American and other minority groups, in every sector throughout the State in a collective process; (3) fostering racial equity through recognition, understanding, adjustment, compromise, and repair; and (4) recommending strategies, changes, and actions in institutions, policies, and laws to eliminate systemic racism and promote equity, access, and opportunity that can lead to healing and foster reconciliation. <p>...</p> <p>(f)(1) On or before January 31, 2019, the Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall submit a preliminary report on the activities of the task force to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (b)(4) The Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) select a chair from among the members of the task force; and (ii) provide staff for the task force.
SB 350, Ch. 417	Morgan State University, Institute for Urban Research	<p>(a) The Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall convene a task force to foster reconciliation and inclusionary justice and work toward achieving racial equity by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) increasing awareness through public discussions about the nature, extent, causes, and consequences of racial inequities; (2) involving individuals and public and private entities, including African American and other minority groups, in every sector throughout the State in a collective process; (3) fostering racial equity through recognition, understanding, adjustment, compromise, and repair; and (4) recommending strategies, changes, and actions in institutions, policies, and laws to eliminate systemic racism and promote equity, access, and opportunity that can lead to healing and foster reconciliation. <p>...</p> <p>(f)(2) On or before January 31, 2020, the Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall submit a full report on the activities, findings, and recommendations of the task force to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (b)(4) The Institute for Urban Research at Morgan State University shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) select a chair from among the members of the task force; and (ii) provide staff for the task force.

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HB 359, Ch. 149(3)	Opioid Operational Command Center	<p>(a) On or before January 1, 2019, the Opioid Operational Command Center shall provide a comprehensive report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, regarding the reporting of overdose information using an information technology platform as authorized under Section 1 of this [Health - Reporting of Overdose Information] Act.</p> <p>(b) The report required under subsection (a) of this section shall include information regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) the number of overdoses reported and the approximate locations where the overdoses occurred, including any clusters of overdoses; (2) who made the reports; (3) how the reports were used for public health and public safety responses, the outcomes of the public health and public safety interventions, and the impact on affected communities; and (4) when, if ever, an exact address of an overdose location was publicly published and the reason for publishing the address.
HB 183, Ch. 779	Prince George’s County Department of the Environment	<p>(g) On or before December 31, 2018, the [Prince George's County Environmental Justice] Commission shall report its findings and recommendations to the Prince George’s County House Delegation in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Prince George’s County Department of the Environment shall provide staff for the Commission.</p>
SB 332, Ch. 416	Prince George’s County Board of Education	<p>(a) There is a Prince George’s County School Construction Master Plan Workgroup.</p> <p>...</p> <p>(f) Based on its review of the FY2017 Educational Facilities Master Plan, the Workgroup shall make recommendations regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) options to meet the identified needs at lower costs; (ii) methods to improve the maintenance and rehabilitation of public schools in Prince George’s County; and (iii) options to increase cost sharing. <p>(g) On or before December 31, 2018, the Workgroup shall report its findings and recommendations to the Prince George’s County Executive, the Prince George’s County Council, the Prince George’s County Board of Education, the Interagency Committee on School Construction, and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Prince George’s County House and Senate Delegations.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Prince George’s County Board of Education shall provide staff for the Workgroup.</p>
HB 218, Ch. 128(2)	Prince George’s County, Office of Community Relations, Common Ownership Communities of Task Force on the Use of Master Meters for Utility Services	<p>(g) On or before December 31, 2018, the Task Force [on the Use of Master Meters for Utility Services] shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the members of the Prince George’s County Delegation to the General Assembly.</p> <p>Staffing Statement: (d) The Office of Community Relations, Common Ownership Communities of Prince George’s County shall provide staff for the Task Force.</p>

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HB 175, Ch. 806	Prince George's County	<p>That on or before January 1, 2023, Prince George's County shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:</p> <p>(1) the number of speed monitoring citations issued under this [Prince George's County – Speed Monitoring Systems – Intersection of Old Fort Road and Maryland Route 210 (Indian Head Highway)] Act by month;</p> <p>(2) the number of fatal motor vehicle crashes and fatalities by month on Maryland Route 210 during any period during which speed monitoring systems are active; and</p> <p>(3) any measurable decreases in the speed of vehicles traveling on Maryland Route 210.</p>
HB 1491, Ch. 532(2)	Public Service Commission	<p>(a) The Public Service Commission shall conduct a study on the feasibility of transitioning master meters installed and used for gas, or electric, or water to energy allocation systems or submeters in apartment buildings or complexes, condominiums, and housing cooperatives.</p> <p>(b) The study shall include:</p> <p>(1) the number and location of apartment buildings or complexes, condominiums, and housing cooperatives that currently use a master meter for gas, or electric, or water;</p> <p>(2) the estimated cost of transitioning master meters used for gas, or electric, or water to energy allocation systems or submeters;</p> <p>(3) the number of master meter accounts for apartment buildings or complexes, condominiums, and housing cooperatives that have been in arrears over two or more billing cycles during the period of the study; and</p> <p>(4) any existing programs in the State to assist landlords or tenants in converting master metering systems into energy allocation or submetering systems.</p> <p>(c) On or before January 15, 2019, the Commission shall report the findings of the study to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article.</p>
HB 1278, Ch. 523	State Board of Elections	<p>That on or before May 1, 2019, the State Board of Elections shall submit a report, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee that describes the resources required to complete the audit required under this [Election Law - Postelection Tabulation Audit] Act following the 2018 general election. The report shall include the amount of time needed to complete the audit, the number of personnel required to complete the audit, any other costs incurred by the State Board or the local boards of elections to complete the audit, and any other administrative obstacles to completing the audit.</p>
HB 1415, Ch. 361 ED § 2-306(h)	State Department of Education	<p>On or before December 1, 2022, the Department [of Education] shall submit an evidence-based report summarizing the status of efforts under the initiative during including recommendations to increase the success of the initiative, to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Ways and Means.</p>

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HB 1415, Ch. 361 ED § 7-2006	State Department of Education	On or before December 1, 2018, and each year thereafter, the Department, in collaboration with eligible schools that receive a grant under the [Learning in Extended Academic Programs (LEAP) Grant] Program, shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Ways and Means on the implementation of the Program, including an evaluation of the effectiveness of the programs and services funded under this subtitle.
SB 1068, Ch. 732 HB 1634, Ch. 731 FI § 2-104.1(f)(2)	Student Loan Ombudsman	(1) the Student Loan Ombudsman shall: (i) analyze and monitor the development and implementation of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and policies on student loan borrowers; (ii) disclose the complaint data it compiles and analyzes under subsection (c) of this section, including: 1. noting any trends in the data; and 2. identifying the names of student loan servicers engaging in any abusive, unfair, deceptive, or fraudulent practices; and (iii) make recommendations regarding: 1. statutory and regulatory methods to resolve student loan borrower problems and concerns; and 2. necessary changes to state law to ensure that the student loan servicing industry is fair, transparent, and equitable, including whether the state should require licensing or registration of student loan servicers. (2) On or before January 1 each year, the Student Loan Ombudsman shall report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.
HB 1143, Ch. 402(2)(b)	University of Maryland, College Park Campus	(a) Section 1 of this [Southern Maryland – University System of Maryland Partnershi] Act is contingent on: (1)(i) the Chancellor of the University System of Maryland appointing the University of Maryland, College Park Campus to oversee the administration and research of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center; and (ii) the Chancellor of the University System of Maryland soliciting advice from the University of Maryland, College Park Campus before the Chancellor appoints an Executive Director of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center; (2) the University System of Maryland and the Department of Budget and Management jointly submitting a report to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee on the capital needs of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center. (b) The University of Maryland, College Park Campus shall notify the Department of Legislative Services within 5 days after the conditions described under subsection (a)(1) of this section are met. (c) Section 1 of this Act may not take effect before all the conditions described under subsection (a) of this section are satisfied.

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HB 1143, Ch. 402(2)(a)	University System of Maryland Department of Budget & Management	(a) Section 1 of this [Southern Maryland – University System of Maryland Partnershi] Act is contingent on: (1)(i) the Chancellor of the University System of Maryland appointing the University of Maryland, College Park Campus to oversee the administration and research of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center; and (ii) the Chancellor of the University System of Maryland soliciting advice from the University of Maryland, College Park Campus before the Chancellor appoints an Executive Director of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center; and (2) the University System of Maryland and the Department of Budget and Management jointly submitting a report to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Appropriations Committee on the capital needs of the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center.
HB 281, Ch. 358 ED § 12-118(d)(2)(iii)2.	University System of Maryland Maryland Center for Computing Education	(2) in providing professional development to computer science teachers, the Center [for Computing Education] shall: (i) maintain a clearinghouse with computer science education curricula and resources to support professional development in computer science education; (ii) communicate and promote the center’s activities to maintain transparency about upcoming opportunities and available resources; and (iii) 1. publish an annual report on the Center’s website on the Center’s progress in implementing the plan described in subsection (c) of this section; and 2. provide a copy of the annual report to the Governor, the university system of Maryland, the State Department of Education, and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly. Staffing Statement: (b)(1) there is a Maryland Center for Computing Education in the University System of Maryland.
SB 444, Ch. 708 HG § 13-3608	University System of Maryland University of Maryland, Baltimore	On or before December 1 each year, the Task Force [on the Social Determinants of Health in Baltimore City] shall submit a report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on the activities of the Task Force. Staffing Statement: HG 0167 § 13–3605.(c) the University of Maryland, Baltimore, shall provide staff support for the Task Force.
SB 277, Ch. 351 HB 372, Ch. 352 TR § 10-205(f)(2)(iii)2.	Washington Metropolitan Area Transit	The Governor shall release the portion of the appropriation withheld under subparagraph 1 of this subparagraph if the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority submits in writing to the board of directors of the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the Maryland General Assembly a satisfactory corrective action plan that addresses the reasons for the modified audit opinion.

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SB 277, Ch. 351(7) HB 372, Ch. 352(7)	Washington Metropolitan Area Transit	<p>(a)(1) The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority shall study the costs and benefits of using capital funds to fund infrastructure improvements to enhance pedestrian and bicycle access to Metrorail stations and accelerate joint development at Metrorail stations in Maryland.</p> <p>(2) The study required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include projections of increased ridership revenue derived from improved access and accelerated joint development, as well as the degree to which such infrastructure improvements would increase the value of real property owned by the Authority.</p> <p>(b)(1) The Authority shall study the projected ridership of a new Metrorail station at National Harbor.</p> <p>(2) The study required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall identify the feasibility of an extension of a Metrorail line to National Harbor via the Woodrow Wilson Bridge and include the estimated operating and capital costs associated with the extension.</p> <p>(c)(1) The Authority shall study the budget, powers, and limitations of its inspector general and compare the budget, powers, and limitations to those of other inspectors general in the federal government, other transit systems, and state and local governments.</p> <p>(2) The report resulting from the study required under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) recommendations for strengthening the Authority's office of the inspector general; and (ii) a discussion of whether any recommended reforms must be made through the Authority's board of directors or by amendment to the Authority Compact. <p>(d) The Authority shall study the opportunities at each Metrorail station in Maryland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) to reduce the parking lot and bus bay footprints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) to expand pedestrian and bicycle access; and (ii) for the development of commercial, residential, and office uses; (2) to develop the air rights; and (3) to attract various public uses, such as public schools. <p>(e) The Authority shall, in consultation with the Maryland Transit Administration and other locally operated transit systems and bus services, study opportunities to attract ridership in partnership with public school systems and institutions of higher education.</p> <p>(f) On or before June 30, 2019, the Authority shall report the findings of each of the studies required under this section to the Authority board and each of the Compact signatories.</p>