

MD DD Council - Priority Legislation

February 4, 2022

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Bill/Chapter (Cross/Chapter)	Title	Sponsor	Current Status	Org Committees & Hearings	Opp Committees & Hearings
HB0006 (SB0150) Support - Zach	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Dental Coverage for Adults	Delegate Cullison	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:30 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/09/2022 - 1:30 PM	
HB0008 (SB0275) Support – Rachel	Labor and Employment – Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program – Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2022)	Delegate Valderrama	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0023 Support – Rachel	School Discipline - Data Collection and School Resource Officers	Delegate Washington	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/20/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0056 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Commission on Student Behavioral Health and Mental Health Treatment	Delegate Bagnall	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means	
HB0065 Support – Zach	Election Law – Early Voting Centers – Bus Stops	Delegate Crosby	In the House - Hearing canceled	Ways and Means	
HB0078 Support – Rachel	Discrimination in Employment - Reasonable Accommodations for Applicants With Disabilities	Delegate Rogers	In the House - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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HB0099 Oppose - Zach	Election Law – Absentee Ballots – Signature Requirements and Verification	Delegate Long	In the House - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0113 Oppose – Zach	Elections - In-Person Voting - Proof of Identity	Delegate Long	In the House - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0135 Support – Rachel	Environment – Single–Use Plastics – Restrictions	Delegate Love	In the House - Hearing 2/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0136 (SB0299) Support – Rachel	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	Delegate Kerr	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/20/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0141 (SB0023) Support – Zach	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Delegate Ruth	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 1/27/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0161 Support – Rachel	Criminal Law - Exploitation of Vulnerable Adult or Elderly Individual - Undue Influence	Delegate Shetty	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:00 p.m.	Judiciary 1/27/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0212 Oppose - Zach	Election Law - Signature Verification of Absentee Ballots and Absentee Ballot Applications and Ballot Canvassing	Delegate Parrott	In the House - Hearing 2/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/01/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0226 (SB0577) Letter of Information – Rachel	Public Schools – Self–Contained Special Education Classroom – Use of Video Recording Devices	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/03 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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HB0352 TBD – Rachel	Education - American Studies and Social Equity Standards Advisory Board - Academic Standards and Model Policy	Delegate Qi	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0415 (SB0401) Letter of Information - Rachel	Operating Budget - Funding - Scholarships for Nonpublic School Students	Speaker	In the House - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Appropriations 3/01/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0466 Support - Rachel	Income Tax - Personal Exemption - Disabled Individuals	Delegate Valentino- Smith	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0496 Support - Rachel	Labor and Employment - Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Establishment	Delegate Wilson	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0513 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation Program - Established	Delegate Ebersole	In the House - Hearing 2/17 at 3:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/17/2022 - 3:00 PM	
HB0529 (SB0559) Support - Rachel	Estates and Trusts - Supported Decision Making	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - First Reading Judiciary	Judiciary	
HB0547 (SB0617) TBD – Rachel	Local School Systems - Equivalent Access Standards - Digital Tools	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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	(Nonvisual Access Accountability Act for K-12 Education)				
HB0625 (SB0440) TBD – Rachel	Commission to Study the Health Care Workforce Crisis in Maryland - Establishment	Delegate Kelly	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:30 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/10/2022 - 1:30 PM	
HB0660 Support with Amendments - Rachel	Commission to Study the Division of Rehabilitative Services (Student Job Training Reformation Act)	Delegate Guyton	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB0664 TBD - Rachel	Child Care Programs – Maryland Infants and Toddlers Program – Information and Assistance	Delegate Guyton	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB0702 Support - Zach	Election Judges - Training and Signs - Accommodations for Voters in Need of Assistance	Delegate Hill	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0725 (SB0506) Letter of Information – Rachel	Children - Therapeutic Child Care Program - Funding	Delegate Luedtke	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB0726 TBD - Zach	Transportation of Disabled Persons - Transportation Network Companies - Employee Requirements	Delegate Ebersole	In the House - First Reading Environment and Transportation	Environment and Transportation	

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HB0727 (SB0541) Letter of Information – Rachel	Natural Resources - Maryland Park Service and State Parks - Alterations (Great Maryland Outdoors Act)	Delegate Luedtke	In the House - First Reading Environment and Transportation and Appropriations	Environment and Transportation Appropriations	
HB0737 Letter of Information – Rachel	Alternative Education Options - Right to Learn and Broadening Options and Opportunities for Students Today Programs (Right to Learn Act of 2022)	Delegate Ghrist	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB0821 (SB0518) TBD - Rachel	Career Pathways for Health Care Workers Program	Delegate Turner	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
SB0023 (HB0141) Support – Zach	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Senator Carter	In the Senate - Hearing 1/26 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 1/26/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0066 Letter of Information – Rachel	Labor and Employment - Hiring - Education Requirements (Give Me A Chance - Job Opportunities Act of 2022)	Senator Patterson	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 2:00 p.m.	Finance 1/27/2022 - 2:00 PM	
SB0093 Support – Rachel	Tax Credits - Employment of Individuals With Disabilities	Senator Kramer	In the Senate - Hearing 1/18 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 1/18/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0116 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Public Schools - Inclusive and Diverse English Language Arts - Development of Content Standards and Implementation	Senator Ellis	In the Senate - Hearing 2/03 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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SB0150 (HB0006) Support – Zach	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Dental Coverage for Adults	Senator Augustine	In the Senate - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0235 Support – Rachel	Income Tax - Personal Exemption - Disabled Individuals	Senator Jackson	In the Senate - Hearing 1/25 at 2:30 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 1/25/2022 - 2:30 PM	
SB0275 (HB0008) Support – Rachel	Labor and Employment – Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program – Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2022)	Senator Hayes	In the Senate - Hearing 2/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 2/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0299 (HB0136) Support – Zach	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	Senator Young	In the Senate - Hearing 2/03 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0362 Letter of Information – Rachel	Primary and Secondary Education - Virtual Schools - Revisions	Senator Pinsky	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0401 (HB0415) Letter of Information – Rachel	Operating Budget - Funding - Scholarships for Nonpublic School Students	President	In the Senate - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 2/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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SB0440 (HB0625) TBD – Rachel	Commission to Study the Health Care Workforce Crisis in Maryland - Establishment	Senator Beidle	In the Senate - Hearing 2/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0506 (HB0725) Letter of Information – Rachel	Children - Therapeutic Child Care Program - Funding	Senator King	In the Senate - Hearing canceled	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	
SB0518 (HB0821) TBD – Rachel	Career Pathways for Health Care Workers Program	Senator Augustine	In the Senate - First Reading Finance	Finance	
SB0532 Oppose – Zach	Election Law – Polling Places – Proof of Identity	Senator Ready	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	
SB0541 (HB0727) Letter of information – Rachel	Natural Resources - Maryland Park Service and State Parks - Alterations (Great Maryland Outdoors Act)	Senator Elfreth	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m. (Budget and Taxation)	Budget and Taxation 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	
SB0559 (HB0529) Support - Rachel	Estates and Trusts - Supported Decision Making	Senator Waldstreicher	In the Senate - Hearing 2/17 at 1:00 p.m.	Judicial Proceedings 2/17/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0577 (HB0226) Letter of Information - Rachel	Public Schools – Self–Contained Special Education Classroom – Use of Video Recording Devices	Senator Klausmeier	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	

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SB0583 Oppose – Zach	Maryland Center for School Safety – Public Schools – Reporting of Classroom Disruptions	Senator Bailey	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	
SB0617 (HB0547) TBD - Rachel	Local School Systems - Equivalent Access Standards - Digital Tools (Nonvisual Access Accountability Act for K-12 Education)	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SBO625 TBD - Zach	Transportation of Persons With Disabilities - Transportation Network Companies - Employee Requirements	Senator Hettleman	In the Senate - First Reading Finance	Finance	
SBO636 Support – Rachel	Maryland Department of Health - Waiver Programs - Waitlist Reduction (End the Wait Act)	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - First Reading Budget and Taxation and Finance	Budget and Taxation Finance	
SBO660 TBD – Rachel	Income Tax - Caregiver Tax Credit	Senator Benson	In the Senate - First Reading Budget and Taxation	Budget and Taxation	
SBO666 Support - Rachel	Schools, Prekindergarten Programs, and County Boards of Education – Discrimination	Senator McCray	In the Senate - First Reading Judicial Proceedings	Judicial Proceedings	
SBO680 Support – Zach	State and Local Parks – Playground Accessibility – Communication Boards	Senator Gallion	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	

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SB0705 Support - Rachel	Education – Physical Restraint and Seclusion – Limitations, Reporting, and Training	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	