Maryland Developmental Disabilities Council - Priority Legislation

February 10, 2023

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Bill/Chapter (Cross/Chapter)	Title	Sponsor	Current Status	Org Committees & Hearings	Opp Committees & Hearings
HB0005 Rachel – Support	Education – Playground Accessibility – Communication Boards	Delegate Hartman	In the House - Hearing 1/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/24/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0009 (SB0019) Rachel – Support	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Delegate Ruth	In the House - Hearing 2/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 2/02/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0035 (SB0567) Rachel – Oppose	Elections - In-Person Voting - Proof of Identity	Delegate Long, R.	In the House - Hearing 1/31 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/31/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0041 Rachel – Support	Election Law - Curbside Voting - Establishment	Delegate Williams	In the House - Hearing 1/31 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/31/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0053 (SB0608) Rachel – Support	Human Services - Maryland Statewide Independent Living Council	Delegate Forbes	In the House - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0069 Rachel – Oppose	Education - Student Behavior - Parent and Guardian Notice and Required Counseling (Parent and Guardian Accountability Act)	Delegate Long, R.	In the House - Hearing 2/01 at 2:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/01/2023 - 2:00 PM	

HB0095 Rachel – Support	Election Judges - Training and Signs - Accommodations for Voters in Need of Assistance	Delegate Hill	In the House - Hearing 1/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/24/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0185 Rachel – Support	Nonpublic Schools and Child Care Providers - Corporal Punishment - Prohibition	Delegate Ebersole	In the House - Hearing 2/01 at 2:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/01/2023 - 2:00 PM	
HB0215 (SB0450) Rachel – Support	Real Property - Limitations on Summoning Law Enforcement or Emergency Services - Prohibition	Delegate Palakovich Carr	In the House - Hearing 2/01 at 2:30 p.m.	Judiciary 2/01/2023 - 2:30 PM	
HB0260 (SB0346) Stephanie – Support	Maryland Sign Language Interpreters Act	Delegate Bagnall	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/22/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0264 (SB0400) Stephanie – Support	Places of Public Accommodation - Motion Picture Houses - Captioning	Delegate Bhandari	In the House - Hearing 2/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/08/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0283 (SB0460) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Gender–Affirming Treatment (Trans Health Equity Act)	Delegate Kaiser	In the House - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	

HB0290 (SB0237) Rachel – Letter of Information	Public Health - Dental Services - Access	Delegate Bagnall	In the House - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m. (Health and Government Operations)	Health and Government Operations 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM Ways and Means	
HB0294 Rachel – Support with Amendment	County Boards of Education - Due Process Proceedings for Children With Disabilities - Burden of Proof	Delegate Atterbeary	In the House - Hearing 2/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/08/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0320 Rachel – Support	Maryland Longitudinal Data System - Definition of Student Data - Alteration	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/08/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0354 (SB0343) Rachel – Support	Maryland Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Program - Account Establishment - Procedures	Delegate Chang	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB0385 (SB0459) Rachel – Support	Correctional Services - Restrictive Housing - Limitations (Maryland Mandela Act)	Delegate Bartlett	In the House - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Judiciary 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0395 (SB0223) Rachel – Support with Amendment	State Government - State Facilities Changes and Closures - Procedures	Delegate White	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/22/2023 - 1:00 PM	

HB0456 Rachel – Support	Pharmacies - Prescription Drugs - Accessible Labels for Blind, Visually Impaired, and Print Disabled Individuals	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 3/01/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0469 Rachel – Support	Children With Disabilities - Special Education Services - Eligibility	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/15/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0495 (SB0350) Rachel – Support	Early Childhood Development - Child Care Scholarship Program - Funding	Delegate Solomon	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/15/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0504 (SB0168) Rachel – Support	Maryland Developmental Disabilities Council – Establishment	Delegate Kaiser	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB0546 (SB0551) Rachel – TBD	Education - Service Year Option Program - Establishment (Serving Every Region Through Vocational Exploration Act of 2023)	Speaker	In the House - Hearing 2/21 at 1:00 p.m.	Appropriations 2/21/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0549 (SB0555) Rachel – TBD	Fair Wage Act of 2023	Speaker	In the House - Hearing 2/27 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/27/2023 - 1:00 PM	

HB0608 (SB0535) Rachel – Support	Human Relations - Housing Discrimination - Service Dogs and Guide Dogs	Delegate Lehman	In the House - Hearing 2/21 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 2/21/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0621 Rachel – Support	State Department of Education - Division of Rehabilitation Services - Information Posted on Website	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/22/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0657 (SB0572) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Employed Individuals With Disabilities	Delegate Johnson, S.	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB0726 (SB0231) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Autism Waiver - Military Families	Delegate Feldmark	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB0737 Rachel – Oppose	Alternative Education Options - Right to Learn and Broadening Options and Opportunities for Students Today Programs (Right to Learn Act of 2023)	Delegate Ghrist	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/22/2023 - 1:00 PM	

HB0770 Rachel – Support	Publicly Funded Full-Day Prekindergarten Program - Tier I Child - Alteration of Definition	Delegate Atterbeary	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/22/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0826 (SB0848) Rachel – TBD	Statewide Rental Assistance Voucher Program – Establishment	Delegate Wilkins	In the House - Hearing 2/28 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 2/28/2023 - 1:00 PM	
HB0870 Rachel – Support	Division of Rehabilitation Services and Developmental Disabilities Administration - Memorandum of Understanding	Delegate Guyton	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB0926 Rachel – Oppose	Election Law - Polling Places - Establishing Voter Identity (Voter Privacy Act of 2023)	Delegate Long, R.	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB0933 (SB0845) Rachel – Letter of Information	End-of-Life Option Act (The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings and the Honorable Shane E. Pendergrass Act)	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations and Judiciary	Health and Government Operations Judiciary	
HB0988 (SB0828) Rachel – Support	Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Modifications	Delegate Qi	In the House - First Reading Economic Matters	Economic Matters	

HB1148 (SB0582) Rachel – TBD	Behavioral Health Care - Treatment and Access (Behavioral Health Model for Maryland)	Delegate Moon	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB1149 (SB0622) Rachel – Support	Medicaid Waiver Programs - Waitlist and Registry Reduction (End the Wait Act)	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB1157 (SB0688) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Employed Persons with Disabilities Program - Eligibility	Delegate Johnson, S.	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB1176 Rachel – Support	Voluntary 9-1-1 Registry for Individuals Needing Special Assistance	Delegate Atterbeary	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations	Health and Government Operations	
HB1216 (SB0750) Rachel – Oppose	Election Law – Voting – Proof of Identity	Delegate Miller	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	
HB1222 Rachel – Support	State Department of Education - Division of Rehabilitation Services - Funding and Staffing	Delegate Guyton	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	Ways and Means	

SB0019 (HB0009) Rachel – Support	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Senator Carter	In the Senate - Hearing 2/01 at 2:30 p.m.	Finance 2/01/2023 - 2:30 PM	
SB0084 (HB0040) Rachel – Support	Places of Public Accommodation and Public Buildings - Gender-Inclusive Signage	Senator Kagan	In the Senate - Hearing 1/31 at 1:00 p.m. (Judicial Proceedings)	Judicial Proceedings 1/31/2023 - 1:00 PM Education, Energy, and the Environment	
SB0168 (HB0504) Rachel – Support	Maryland Developmental Disabilities Council - Establishment	Senator Guzzone	In the Senate - Favorable Report by Finance	Finance 2/07/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0223 (HB0395) Rachel – Support with Amendment	State Government – State Facilities Changes and Closures – Procedures	Senator Augustine	In the Senate - Hearing 2/07 at 2:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 2/07/2023 - 2:00 PM	
SB0231 (HB0726) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Autism Waiver - Military Families	Senator Beidle	In the Senate - Favorable with Amendments Report by Finance	Finance 2/07/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0237 (HB0290) Rachel – Letter of Information	Public Health - Dental Services – Access	Senator Klausmeier	In the Senate - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	

SB0343 (HB0354) Rachel – Support	Maryland Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Program - Account Establishment - Procedures	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - Hearing 2/22 at 2:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 2/22/2023 - 2:00 PM	
SB0344 Rachel – Support	Income Tax - Caregiver Tax Credit	Senator Benson	In the Senate - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 2/15/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0346 (HB0260) Stephanie – Support	Maryland Sign Language Interpreters Act	Senator King	In the Senate - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0350 (HB0495) Rachel – Support	Early Childhood Development - Child Care Scholarship Program - Funding	Senator King	In the Senate - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 2/15/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0362 Rachel – TBD	Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics – Established	Senator Guzzone	In the Senate - Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 2/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0400 (HB0264) Stephanie – Support	Places of Public Accommodation - Motion Picture Houses – Captioning	Senator Brooks	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	Judicial Proceedings 2/16/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0450 (HB0215) Rachel – Support	Real Property - Limitations on Summoning Law Enforcement or Emergency Services - Prohibition	Senator Gile	In the Senate - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Judicial Proceedings 2/15/2023 - 1:00 PM	

SB0459 (HB0385) Rachel – Support	Correctional Services - Restrictive Housing - Limitations (Maryland Mandela Act)	Senator Washington, M.	In the Senate - First Reading Judicial Proceedings	Judicial Proceedings	
SB0460 (HB0283) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Gender–Affirming Treatment (Trans Health Equity Act)	Senator Washington, M.	In the Senate - Hearing 2/28 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 2/28/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0535 (HB0608) Rachel – Support	Human Relations - Housing Discrimination - Service Dogs and Guide Dogs	Senator James	In the Senate - First Reading Judicial Proceedings	Judicial Proceedings	
SB0551 (HB0546) Rachel – TBD	Education - Service Year Option Program - Establishment (Serving Every Region Through Vocational Exploration Act of 2023)	President	In the Senate - Hearing 2/22 at 2:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 2/22/2023 - 2:00 PM	
SB0555 (HB0549) Rachel – TBD	Fair Wage Act of 2023	President	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m. (Finance)	Finance 3/02/2023 - 1:00 PM Budget and Taxation	

SB0567 (HB0035) Rachel – Oppose	Elections - In-Person Voting - Proof of Identity	Senator Ready	In the Senate - Hearing 3/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0572 (HB0657) Rachel – Support	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Employed Individuals With Disabilities	Senator Lewis Young	In the Senate - Hearing 3/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0582 (HB1148) Rachel – TBD	Behavioral Health Care - Treatment and Access (Behavioral Health Model for Maryland)	Senator Augustine	In the Senate - Hearing 3/07 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/07/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0608 (HB0053) Rachel – Support	Human Services - Maryland Statewide Independent Living Council	Senator Washington, M.	In the Senate - Hearing 3/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/10/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0610 Rachel – Letter of Information	Primary and Secondary Education - Virtual Education	Senator Washington, M.	In the Senate - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/01/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0622 (HB1149) Rachel – Support	Medicaid Waiver Programs – Waitlist and Registry Reduction (End the Wait Act)	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - Hearing 3/07 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 3/07/2023 - 1:00 PM	

SB0750 (HB1216) Rachel – Oppose	Election Law - Voting - Proof of Identity	Senator Folden	In the Senate - Hearing 3/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0811 Rachel – TBD	School Discipline - Behavioral Health and Safety - Data Collection and School Resource Officers	Senator Washington, A.	In the Senate - Hearing 3/14 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/14/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0820 Rachel – Letter of Information	Primary and Secondary Education - Virtual Education - Requirements	Senator Washington, A.	In the Senate - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/01/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0828 (HB0988) Rachel – Support	Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Modifications	Senator Hayes	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/02/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0829 Rachel – Letter of Information	Primary and Secondary Education - Virtual Education - Requirements	Senator Hester	In the Senate - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Energy, and the Environment 3/01/2023 - 1:00 PM	
SB0845 (HB0933) Rachel – Letter of Information	End-of-Life Option Act (The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings and the Honorable Shane E. Pendergrass Act)	Senator Waldstreicher	In the Senate - First Reading Judicial Proceedings	Judicial Proceedings	

SB0848 (HB0826) Rachel – TBD	Statewide Rental Assistance Voucher Program - Establishment	Senator Guzzone	In the Senate - Hearing 2/28 at 1:00 p.m. (Education, Energy, and the Environment)	Education, Energy, and the Environment 2/28/2023 - 1:00 PM Budget and Taxation	