

amount altering a provision of law requiring registrants to include specific information in certain reports; and generally relating to receipt and disclosure of certain expenses by certain legislators registrants, officials, and employees.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 40A - Maryland Public Ethics Law
Section ~~3-106(b)(4)~~ and ~~5-105(a)(2)(viii)~~
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 40A --- Maryland Public Ethics Law
Section ~~3-102(f)(6)~~ and ~~4-103(d-1)~~
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)

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

Article 40A - Maryland Public Ethics Law

3-102.

~~(f) A legislator who enters into any of the listed transactions shall report in writing to the Committee and the presiding officer of his branch of the legislature for recordation with the Clerk of the House of Delegates or Secretary of the Senate, at the times and in the manner required by the Committee:~~

~~(6) DETAILS OF ANY EXPENSE THAT THE LEGISLATOR RECEIVES TOTALING \$200 OR MORE FOR THE COST OF FOOD, TRAVEL, LODGING, OR SCHEDULED ENTERTAINMENT FOR A MEETING IN RETURN FOR THE OFFICIAL'S OR THE EMPLOYEE'S ATTENDANCE OR PARTICIPATION IN A PANEL OR SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT AT THE MEETING, INCLUDING:~~

~~(i) THE AMOUNT AND PURPOSE OF THE EXPENSE, AND~~

~~(ii) THE IDENTITY OF THE PERSON OR ORGANIZATION FROM WHOM, OR ON BEHALF OF WHOM, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, THE EXPENSE WAS RECEIVED.~~

3-106.

~~(b) Unless a gift of any of the following would tend to impair the impartiality and the independence of judgment of the official or employee receiving it or, if of significant value, would give the appearance of doing so, or, if of significant value, the recipient official or employee believes, or has reason~~