

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, should House Bill 689 or Senate Bill 472 of the Acts of 1982 fail of enactment, Article 40, Section 51(d) of the Annotated Code is repealed and reenacted, without amendments, to read as follows:

Article 40 - General Assembly

51.

(d) Each State agency or official shall provide to the Department of Legislative Reference a list of all reports and publications issued by them which are either required by law or intended by them for distribution to the General Assembly. The Department shall compile and maintain a list of all these reports and publications and shall periodically forward these lists to the members of the General Assembly for the purpose of furnishing them a reference source from which they may request reports and publications from the Department of Legislative Reference. In addition, the Department shall preserve, catalogue, and index all reports and publications filed with or submitted to the Department by the various State agencies and officials in compliance with either the requirement of § 53 of this article or the requirements of numerous sections elsewhere in the Code; and may select, preserve, catalogue, and index other reports and publications it deems necessary.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows:

Article 40 - General Assembly

51.

(f) Any State agency or official required to submit [an annual or periodic] ANY report to the General Assembly shall comply with this reporting requirement by submitting five copies of each report to the State Department of Legislative Reference. ~~Additional-copies~~ NO COPY [shall] MAY NOT be distributed to [members] A MEMBER of the General Assembly, EXCEPT in-accordance-with-the-procedure-set-ferth in-this-section, UNLESS:

(1) THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE AND PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE HAVE FURNISHED THE AGENCY OR OFFICIAL WITH PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL TO DISTRIBUTE THE REPORT TO EACH MEMBER; OR

(2) THE MEMBER REQUESTS A COPY.

~~(G)--SUBJECT-TO-THE-PROVISIONS-OF-THIS-SUBSECTION,--THE DEPARTMENT--OF--LEGISLATIVE-REFERENCE--SHALL--ACCEPT--COPIES--OF REPORTS--AND--PUBLICATIONS--FROM--PRIVATE--CITIZENS--AND--PRIVATE~~