

FOR the purpose of providing that on the recommendation of the administrative judge of any district, the chief judge of the District Court shall approve in writing the invalidation and destruction of certain warrants under certain circumstances; and generally relating to the invalidation and destruction of certain warrants.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 1-605(d)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

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

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

1-605.

(d) In addition to the powers and duties granted and imposed in subsections (a), (b), and (c) of this section, or elsewhere by law or rule, the Chief Judge of the District Court shall:

(1) Appoint a chief clerk of the District Court, a chief administrative clerk for each district, and other personnel of the court pursuant to Article IV, § 41F of the Constitution;

(2) Approve the appointments of commissioners of the District Court pursuant to Article IV, § 41G of the Constitution;

(3) Establish uniform record-keeping procedures for the court;

(4) In conjunction with the motor vehicle administrator, establish uniform procedures for reporting traffic cases in the District Court;

(5) In conjunction with the State Comptroller, establish a system for the collection and remittance of costs, fines, penalties, and forfeitures collected by the District Court;

(6) Approve in writing the destruction of pleadings, papers, or files proposed for destruction pursuant to § 2-206 of this article[.]; AND

(7) ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE OF ANY DISTRICT, APPROVE IN WRITING THE INVALIDATION AND DESTRUCTION OF CERTAIN WARRANTS FOR ARREST, IF THE ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE CERTIFIES TO THE CHIEF JUDGE THAT: