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Approved May 10, 1983.

CHAPTER 202

(House Bill 335)

AN ACT concerning

Criminal Law - Crime of Violence - Maiming

FOR the purpose of including statutory maiming in the definition of "crime of violence" for purposes of mandatory sentences in certain crimes.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 643B(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 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 27 - Crimes and Punishments

643B.

(a) As used in this section, the term "crime of violence" means abduction; arson; burglary; daytime housebreaking under § 30(b) of this article; kidnapping; manslaughter, except involuntary manslaughter; mayhem AND MAIMING UNDER §§ 384, 385, AND 386 OF THIS ARTICLE; murder; rape; robbery; robbery with a deadly weapon; sexual offense in the first degree; sexual offense in the second degree; use of a handgun in the commission of a felony or other crime of violence; an attempt to commit any of the aforesaid offenses; assault with intent to murder; and assault with intent to rape.

The term "correctional institution" includes Patuxent Institution and a local or regional jail or detention center.

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