

[(i)] 1. the State; or

[(ii)] 2. a [county, municipal corporation, bicounty or multicounty agency, or other] political subdivision of the State[; and].

[(2)] (II) "PUBLIC EMPLOYEE" includes:

[(i)] 1. an executive officer of the State;

[(ii)] 2. a judge of the State;

[(iii)] 3. a judicial officer of the State;

[(iv)] 4. a member or officer of the General Assembly;

[(v)] 5. a member of the police force of Baltimore City or the Department of State Police; and

[(vi)] 6. a member, officer, or executive officer of a [municipal corporation] POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

(b) A person may not bribe or attempt to bribe a public employee to influence the public employee in the performance-of-an official duty of the public employee.

(c) A public employee may not demand or receive a bribe, fee, reward, or testimonial to:

(1) influence the performance of the official duties of the public employee; or

(2) neglect or fail to perform the official duties of the public employee.

(d) A person who violates this section is guilty of the misdemeanor of bribery and on conviction:

(1) is subject to imprisonment for not less than 2 years and not exceeding 12 years or a fine not less than \$100 and not exceeding \$5,000 or both;

(2) may not vote; and

(3) may not hold an office of trust or profit in the State.

(e) A person who violates this section is subject to § 5-106(b) of the Courts Article.

(f) (1) A person who violates this section:

(i) is a competent witness; and

(ii) subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, may be compelled to testify against any person who may have violated this section.

(2) A person compelled to testify for the State under paragraph (1) of this subsection is immune from prosecution for a crime about which the person was compelled to testify.