

(4) identify opportunities for collaboration among military contractors, local governments, the State, academic institutions, and military departments to enhance the economic potential of military installations and the economic benefits of military installations to the State;

(5) review State policies, including funding and legislation, to identify actions necessary to prepare for the United States Department of Defense Efficient Facilities Initiative that will begin in 2005; and

(6) research how other jurisdictions have addressed the issues regarding encroachment and partnership formation.

(g) (1) On or before December 31, 2003, the Council shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor, and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly.

(2) On or before December 1, 2008, the Council shall issue a final report of the Council to the Governor, and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2003. [It shall remain effective for a period of 5 years and 7 months and, at the end of December 31, 2008, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.]

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2006. Section 1 of this Act shall remain effective for a period of 5 years and 7 months and, at the end of December 31, 2011, with no further action required by the General Assembly, Section 1 of this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Enacted May 26, 2006.

CHAPTER 635

(House Bill 1724)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore County – Sheriff’s Office – Collective Bargaining

FOR the purpose of authorizing certain full-time deputy sheriffs in the Baltimore County Sheriff’s Office to take certain actions or refrain from taking certain actions in connection with certain labor organizations and collective bargaining activities; authorizing certain deputy sheriffs to select a labor organization as their exclusive ~~representative~~ representation unit; authorizing certain deputy sheriffs to engage in collective bargaining with the ~~Sheriff of Baltimore County Administration, or its designee~~, concerning certain wages and benefits through a certain ~~representative~~ representation unit; authorizing certain deputy sheriffs to enter into a collective bargaining agreement through a certain ~~representative~~