

altering the duties of the Board and the State Higher Education Labor Relations Board; requiring the Board and the State Higher Education Labor Relations Board to jointly appoint an Executive Director; altering the duties and powers of the Executive Director; repealing a requirement that the Department of Budget and Management provide administrative support to the State Labor Relations Board; requiring the State Department under certain circumstances to provide certain information to certain exclusive representatives; prohibiting certain exclusive representatives from requesting or receiving certain information under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain exclusive representatives from sharing releasing certain information; providing a certain exception; prohibiting a certain exclusive representative from using certain information for a certain purpose; authorizing a certain exclusive representative to use certain information only for a certain purpose; specifying certain employee rights; prohibiting the State and employee organizations from engaging in certain unfair labor practices; requiring the Department to make certain information available to certain employee organizations for certain purposes under certain circumstances; allowing parties in collective bargaining to request that a fact finder be employed under certain circumstances; specifying the manner of appointment and the powers and duties of a fact finder; clarifying the processes of collective bargaining; altering a certain definition; making certain conforming changes; and generally relating to collective bargaining for State employees and employees of State institutions of higher education.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – State Personnel and Pensions

Section 3-101, 3-103, 3-201, 3-202, 3-204, 3-206, 3-207, 3-208, 3-209, 3-210,
3-2A-04, 3-2A-06, 3-301(a), 3-306, 3-405(a), and 3-501

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BY repealing

Article – State Personnel and Pensions

Section 3-205

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BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – State Personnel and Pensions

Section 3-2A-01

Annotated Code of Maryland

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

Article – State Personnel and Pensions