

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
 Section 645K and 645M
 Annotated Code of Maryland
 (1982 1987 Replacement Volume and-1987-Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 645CC
Annotated Code of Marland
(1987 Replacement Volume)

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

Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative Departments
 4-105.

(b) The Division of Parole and Probation is established and continued as the same Department of Parole and Probation hitherto existing. The Division of Parole and Probation shall be part of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services. The Division of Parole and Probation shall have the powers, duties, responsibilities and functions provided in the laws of this State for the Department of Parole and Probation. All references in this Code, in any other laws of this State, or in ordinances, resolutions, rules, regulations, legal actions, directives, or documents to the Department of Parole and Probation shall be deemed to mean the Division of Parole and Probation. From and after July 1, 1970, all rights, powers, duties, obligations and functions heretofore conferred upon or exercised by the Department of Parole and Probation shall be transferred to and be exercised by the Division of Parole and Probation subject to the authority of the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services as set forth in §§ 4-102, 4-103, and 4-104 of this article or elsewhere in this Code.

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645K.

Whenever a person shall be convicted of a crime and sentenced to imprisonment in any county, town or city jail by any court in the counties to which this subtitle applies, the judge imposing sentence may prescribe that insofar as possible the person may continue his regular employment or obtain new employment while serving the term of his sentence, and the judge shall designate either the sheriff or the [Department] DIVISION