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SECTION 21. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 4 of this Act shall take effect October 1, 1988.

SECTION 22. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect January 1, 1989.

SECTION 23. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 3 of this Act shall remain effective until October 1, 1991. At the end of October 1, 1991, and with no further action required by the General Assembly, Section 3 of this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved March 9, 1989.

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(Senate Bill 332)

AN ACT concerning

Patuxent Institution - Organization and Procedures - Annual Report

FOR the purpose of altering the criteria for eligibility for incarceration at Patuxent Institution; amending the purpose the Institution; eliminating the Board of Patuxent Institution and requiring the Governor to appoint citizen's advisory board; requiring the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services to adopt certain regulations pertaining to Patuxent Institution; altering the membership, terms of office, and procedures of the Patuxent Institution Board of Review; requiring notice to certain victims before an inmate may be given work release, parole, or leave from Patuxent Institution; defining certain terms; requiring the Board of Review to give the victim a reasonable opportunity to comment on parole; requiring the Board of Review to delete the victim's address and phone number before examination of any document by the inmate eligible person or the eligible person's representative; authorizing the victim to designate, in writing to the Board of Review, a representative of the victim; requiring certain inmates to serve certain minimum terms before being eligible for parole from Patuxent Institution; prohibiting parole from the Institution without the approval of the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services; providing certain penalties for committing certain violations while on work release, leave, or parole; requiring the Director of the Patuxent Institution to issue certain annual reports on