

to disclose the results to an organization to protect the health and safety of, or to seek compensation for certain purposes; requiring the Patuxent Board of Review to give a victim a reasonable opportunity to present oral testimony in a certain manner before the Board decides whether to grant work release, leave status, or parole to an eligible person; increasing the circumstances under which a victim may request that an inmate be prohibited from having any contact with the victim; requiring a hearing examiner or member of the Maryland Parole Commission to consider certain factors before entering into a predetermined parole release agreement; requiring the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to notify a victim of a violent crime, at the victim's request, of certain events involving the person convicted of the violent crime; adding the issuance of a warrant or subpoena for an alleged violation of parole or mandatory supervision to the types of events of which a victim must be notified; specifying that the provisions relating to confidentiality of juvenile records does not prohibit a victim who has filed a notification request form from being notified of certain proceedings involving the defendant; prohibiting the court after a defendant has been found incompetent to stand trial from dismissing a charge without providing the State's Attorney and a victim who has filed a notification request form advance notice and an opportunity to be heard; making certain stylistic, technical, and conforming changes; establishing and altering certain definitions; and generally relating to victims' rights in criminal and juvenile proceedings.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

Section 461A, 616 1/2(k), 700G, 760, 762, 763, 768 through 770, 772 through 774, 775(f)(2), ~~776(c)~~, 776, 780, 781, 784, 786, 787, 791, 792(b), 799, 800, 806, 807, 809 through 812, 815(d) and (f), 825(e)(2), 837(f), 842(b)(7), 854(k), and 855

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BY adding to

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

Section 771, 780A, 783A, 788, 789, ~~and 805A~~ 805A, and 857

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BY repealing

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Section 808

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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 19 - Comptroller

Section 43

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