

specifying that the age of the child at the time the alleged act was committed controls the determination of juvenile court jurisdiction over peace order proceedings; requiring that a peace order request be filed in the county where the alleged act occurred, subject to transfer; authorizing the juvenile court to transfer a peace order request under certain circumstances; authorizing an intake officer assigned to the juvenile court by the Department of Juvenile Justice or the State's Attorney to file a peace order request with the juvenile court under certain circumstances; requiring an intake officer to inform certain persons of certain decisions under certain circumstances; authorizing certain persons to submit a certain denial for review by the Department of Juvenile Justice Area Director; authorizing a court to dismiss a peace order request for failure to comply with certain requirements only under certain circumstances; establishing that certain information is inadmissible in evidence in certain proceedings; establishing requirements for the form of a peace order request and general procedures for peace order proceedings; prohibiting a master in Prince George's County from conducting a peace order proceeding; establishing that certain provisions regarding adjudicatory and disposition hearings do not apply to peace order requests or peace order proceedings; authorizing the juvenile court to issue a peace order to protect a victim under certain circumstances; specifying the relief that the juvenile court may include in a peace order; establishing the duration of a peace order; authorizing the juvenile court to impose reasonable court costs against certain individuals; providing for the service of a peace order; authorizing the juvenile court to modify or rescind a peace order under certain circumstances; establishing that a violation of certain provisions of a peace order is a delinquent act; requiring a law enforcement officer to take a child into custody under certain circumstances; establishing that a party is not entitled to the assistance of counsel at a peace order proceeding; specifying that a certain provision of this Act does not affect the entitlement of a respondent to the assistance of counsel in a contempt proceeding as provided by law; making certain conforming changes; clarifying certain language; defining certain terms; altering certain definitions; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to juvenile court jurisdiction and peace orders.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 3-801, 3-804(a) and (e), 3-805, 3-808, 3-809, 3-810(c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), and (q), 3-811, 3-812, 3-813(a), 3-819, 3-820, 3-821(a), and 3-1502

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BY adding to

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Section 3-820.1, 3-820.2, 3-820.3, 3-820.4, 3-820.5, and 3-821(f)

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