

(5) ANY DIVISION OF A FEDERAL AGENCY THE PRIMARY DUTIES OF WHICH ARE THE INVESTIGATION, APPREHENSION, OR DETENTION OF INDIVIDUALS SUSPECTED OR CONVICTED OF OFFENSES AGAINST THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

(B) It shall be unlawful for any person falsely to represent himself as being a member of [the] A police force of THE UNITED STATES OR OF this State or another state, of Baltimore City or of any county or municipal corporation of the State or of another state, or to represent himself as a special policeman, or to represent himself as a sheriff, deputy sheriff or constable, with fraudulent design upon person or property, or to have, use, wear or display, without the authority of the Secretary of State Police or the appropriate authority of [the] A police force of THE UNITED STATES OR another state, the commissioner of police of Baltimore City or the chief of police of any county or municipal corporation of this State or of another state, or of a sheriff, deputy sheriff or constable, any uniform, shield, button, ornament, badge, identification, shoulder patch adopted by the Department of State Police to be worn by the members of said Department, insignia or emblem of office, such as are worn by the members of the respective police forces or sheriff or constable, or to have any simulation or imitation of such articles for the purpose of deception. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or to imprisonment for not more than six months, or to both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2000.

Approved May 18, 2000.

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**CHAPTER 593**

**(House Bill 369)**

AN ACT concerning

**Alcohol and Drug Abuse Administration - Substance Abuse Program -  
Repeal**

FOR the purpose of repealing the requirement for the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Administration to find a certain location for a certain substance abuse program; and generally relating to the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Administration.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 8-101(a) and (b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)