

generally relating to diminution credits and mandatory supervision.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Correctional Services

Section ~~3-711~~ and 7-502

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Volume and 2002 Supplement)

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

**Article - Correctional Services**

~~3-711.~~

~~If an inmate is convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for a crime committed while on parole OR MANDATORY SUPERVISION and the parole OR MANDATORY SUPERVISION is revoked, diminution credits that were awarded before the inmate's release on parole OR MANDATORY SUPERVISION may not be applied toward the inmate's term of confinement on return to the Division.~~

7-502.

(a) An individual on mandatory supervision remains in legal custody until the expiration of the individual's full term.

(b) An individual on mandatory supervision is subject to:

- (1) all laws, rules, regulations, and conditions that apply to parolees; and
- (2) any special conditions established by a commissioner.

(c) If an inmate is convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for a [violent] crime committed while on mandatory supervision and the mandatory supervision is revoked, diminution credits that were awarded before the inmate's release on mandatory supervision may not be applied toward the inmate's term of confinement on return to the Division.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed to apply only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to a crime committed while on mandatory supervision before the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2003.

May 22, 2003

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