enforcement agencies having a certain jurisdiction within a certain time period under certain circumstances; requiring certain institutions to provide certain advice to a campus community; providing that an institution of higher education is not prohibited from disclosing certain information; providing that it is a misdemeanor subject to a certain penalty to knowingly fail to provide certain notices; altering certain definitions; defining certain terms; making certain conforming changes; providing for the effective date of this Act; and generally relating to sexual offender registration.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Criminal Procedure

Section 11-701(a), (b), and (d)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Volume)

BY adding to

Article - Criminal Procedure

Section 11-701(b-1) and 11-705(e)

Annotated Code of Maryland

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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Criminal Procedure

Section 11-701(f), (g), and (h), and (i), 11-703(a), and 11-707(a) 11-704, 11-706, 11-707, 11-708(a) and (c), 11-710, and 11-721

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

Article - Criminal Procedure

11 - 701

- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Child sexual offender" means a person who:
- (1) has been convicted of violating the abuse of children statute under Article 27, § 35C of the Code for a crime involving sexual abuse of a child-under the age of 18 years;
- (2) has been convicted of violating any of the previsions of the rape or sexual offense statutes under Article 27, §§ 462 through 464B of the Code for a crime involving a child under the age of 15 years;