

CHAPTER 84

(Senate Bill 56)

AN ACT concerning

State Ethics Law – Architectural and Engineering Services – Restrictions on Participation in Procurement

FOR the purpose of ~~clarifying~~ providing that certain design activities do not disqualify an individual from participating in or assisting others in participating in certain procurements; requiring the Maryland Department of Transportation to report to certain persons by a certain date regarding the implementation of this Act; providing for the application of this Act; providing for the effective date of certain provisions dates of this Act; and providing for the termination of certain provisions of this Act; and generally relating to procurement for design activities under the State ethics law.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – State Government

Section 15-508

Annotated Code of Maryland

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(As enacted by ~~Chapter 482 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002~~ Section 1 of this Act)

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

Article – State Government

15-508.

(a) An individual or a person that employs an individual who assists an executive unit in the drafting of specifications, an invitation for bids, a request for proposals for a procurement, or the selection or award made in response to an invitation for bids or request for proposals may not:

(1) submit a bid or proposal for that procurement; or

(2) assist or represent another person, directly or indirectly, who is submitting a bid or proposal for that procurement.