

personnel-related purpose; authorizing the subject of a certain criminal history records check to contest the contents of a certain printed statement; ~~authorizing~~ requiring the County Council to adopt guidelines to carry out this Act; defining a certain term; and generally relating to criminal history records checks for prospective or current employees or volunteers in Anne Arundel County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article - Criminal Procedure  
Section 10-231  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2001 Volume and 2007 Supplement)

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

**Article - Criminal Procedure**

10-231.

(a) IN THIS SECTION, "CENTRAL REPOSITORY" MEANS THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM CENTRAL REPOSITORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES.

(B) [In accordance with guidelines that the Anne Arundel County Council adopts by resolution, the] ~~THE Director of Administration~~ PERSONNEL OFFICER of Anne Arundel County ~~[may request]~~ ~~SHALL APPLY TO~~ FROM THE CENTRAL REPOSITORY ~~FOR~~ a State and national criminal history records check [from the Central Repository] for ~~[a]~~ ~~EACH~~ prospective ~~employee~~ OR CURRENT EMPLOYEE OR VOLUNTEER of Anne Arundel County.

[(b) The Director of Administration shall pay to the Department the fee imposed by the Department for each request made under subsection (a) of this section.]

(C) (1) AS PART OF THE APPLICATION FOR A CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS CHECK, THE ~~DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION~~ PERSONNEL OFFICER OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY SHALL SUBMIT TO THE CENTRAL REPOSITORY:

(I) TWO COMPLETE SETS OF THE PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEE'S OR CURRENT EMPLOYEE'S OR VOLUNTEER'S LEGIBLE FINGERPRINTS TAKEN ON FORMS APPROVED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL REPOSITORY AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION;