

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 Article – State Finance and Procurement
 Section 3–602(d)
 Annotated Code of Maryland
 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

BY adding to
 Article – State Finance and Procurement
 Section 3–602.1
 Annotated Code of Maryland
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BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
 Article – Education
 Section 5–301(d)
 Annotated Code of Maryland
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BY adding to
 Article – Education
 Section 5–312
 Annotated Code of Maryland
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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – State Finance and Procurement

3–602.

(d) [(1) (i) In this paragraph, “high performance building” means a building that:

1. achieves at least a silver rating according to the U.S. Green Building Council’s LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Green Building Rating System as adopted in 2001 or subsequently by the Maryland Green Building Council;

2. achieves at least a two globe rating according to the Green Globes Program as adopted by the Green Building Initiative;