



# Public Policy Meeting Summary

April 13, 2016

## Session Wrap-Up Report

Clinton Macsherry

See the [Public Policy April 2016 report](#) and the bill list below.

## Federal Update

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Report from the Center for Law and Social Policy, [“\\$1.2 Billion Investment Needed in 2017 to Implement CCDBG Reauthorization”](#)

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday, May 11, 2016

## MFN Bills 04/13/2016

Note: **Highlighted bills** were passed by both houses in the General Assembly and are awaiting the Governor’s signature.

Bills in **bold** have been signed/enacted.

“Returned Passed” means the second house to hear the bill passed it and returned it without amendment.

“Passed Enrolled” means the bill was amended in the second house.

### Priority

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 27 | Title   | Primary Sponsor                     | Status                                      | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates                             | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates                |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| <a href="#">HB0150</a><br>(SB0190 / CH0143)             | Budget Bill (Fiscal Year 2017)  | <a href="#">Speaker</a>             | Unfavorable Report by Appropriations        | <a href="#">Appropriations</a>  |  |
| <a href="#">HB0329</a><br>(SB0312)                      | Children - Family Child Care Homes and Child Care Centers - Advertising and Penalties | <a href="#">Delegate Dumais</a>     | Returned Passed                             | <a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a><br>2/11/2016 - 1:00 p.m. | <a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> |
| <a href="#">HB0452</a><br>(SB0384)                      | Earned Income Tax Credit - Expansion  | <a href="#">Speaker</a>             | Third Reading Passed with Amendments (38-8) | <a href="#">Ways and Means</a><br>2/23/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                   | <a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a><br>3/29/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |
| <a href="#">HB0580</a><br>(SB0472)                      | Labor and Employment - Maryland Healthy Working Families Act                          | <a href="#">Delegate Clippinger</a> | Rereferred to Finance                       | <a href="#">Economic Matters</a><br>3/1/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                  | <a href="#">Finance</a>                                      |
| <a href="#">HB0657</a><br>(SB0794)                      | Education - Prekindergarten and Kindergarten Assessments - Administration             | <a href="#">Delegate Shoemaker</a>  | Passed Enrolled                             | <a href="#">Ways and Means</a><br>2/18/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                   | <a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> |
| <a href="#">HB0668</a><br>(SB0584)                      | Preschool Development Grants - Expansion Grants - Required State Funding              | <a href="#">Delegate Rosenberg</a>  | Returned Passed                             | <a href="#">Appropriations</a><br>2/23/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                   | <a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a><br>3/29/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |

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| HB0740<br>(SB0485)          | Task Force to Study Family and Medical Leave Insurance   | Delegate Kelly          | Passed Enrolled  | Economic Matters<br>3/1/2016 - 1:00 p.m.               | Finance<br>3/31/2016 - 1:00 p.m.             |
| HB0778                      | Education - Students With Disabilities - Study of Parental Consent in the Individualized Education Program Process | Delegate Washington, M. | First Reading Senate Rules   | Ways and Means<br>3/10/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                | Rules  |
| HB1047<br>(SB0294)          | Earned Income Tax Credit - Expansion   | Delegate Hixson         | Hearing 3/29 at 1:00 p.m.  | Ways and Means<br>3/1/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                 | Budget and Taxation<br>3/29/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |
| HB1048<br>(SB0295)          | Income Tax - Earned Income Credit - Refundability  | Delegate Hixson         | Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.  | Ways and Means<br>3/1/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                 |  |
| HB1095<br>(SB0369 / CH0067) | Education - Prekindergarten Programs - Notification of Eligibility by Local Departments of Social Services         | Delegate Platt          | Returned Passed  | Ways and Means<br>3/7/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                 | Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs |
| HB1253<br>(SB0840)          | Income Tax - Earned Income Tax Credit - Refundability  | Speaker                 | Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.  | Ways and Means<br>3/2/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                 |  |
| HB1431                      | Vehicle Laws - Prohibition Against Smoking in Vehicle Containing Young Child                                       | Delegate Lam            | Unfavorable Report by Environment and Transportation;<br>Withdrawn | Environment and Transportation<br>3/4/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |  |

| <b>SB0190 / CH0143<br/>(HB0150)</b> | <b>Budget Bill (Fiscal Year<br/>2017)</b>   | <b>President</b>              | <b>Enacted under<br/>Article III, Section<br/>52(6) of the<br/>Maryland<br/>Constitution<br/>Assigned a chapter<br/>number - Chapter<br/>143</b> | <b>Budget and<br/>Taxation</b>  | <b>Appropriations</b>  |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|---|--|
| SB0294<br>(HB1047)                  | Earned Income Tax Credit -<br>Expansion   | Senator<br>Madaleno           | Hearing 2/17 at 1:00<br>p.m.   | Budget and<br>Taxation<br>2/17/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.  |  |
| SB0295<br>(HB1048)                  | Income Tax - Earned<br>Income Credit -<br>Refundability   | Senator<br>Madaleno           | Hearing 2/17 at 1:00<br>p.m.   | Budget and<br>Taxation<br>2/17/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.  |  |
| SB0305                              | Family Child Care Providers<br>- High School Diploma or<br>GED Test   | Senator<br>Nathan-<br>Pulliam | Unfavorable Report<br>by Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs  | Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs<br>2/17/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.                |  |
| SB0312<br>(HB0329)                  | Children - Family Child Care<br>Homes and Child Care<br>Centers - Advertising and<br>Penalties                                    | Senator<br>King               | Passed Enrolled  | Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs<br>2/10/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.                | Health and<br>Government<br>Operations<br>3/24/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m. |
| <b>SB0369 / CH0067<br/>(HB1095)</b> | <b>Education -<br/>Prekindergarten Programs<br/>- Notification of Eligibility<br/>by Local Departments of<br/>Social Services</b> | <b>Senator<br/>Ferguson</b>   | <b>Approved by the<br/>Governor - Chapter<br/>67</b>   | <b>Education, Health,<br/>and<br/>Environmental<br/>Affairs<br/>2/11/2016 - 1:00<br/>p.m.</b> | <b>Ways and Means<br/>3/24/2016 - 1:00<br/>p.m.</b>                |
| SB0384<br>(HB0452)                  | Income Tax - Earned<br>Income Credit -<br>Refundability   | President                     | Hearing 2/24 at 1:00<br>p.m.   | Budget and<br>Taxation<br>2/24/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.  |  |
| SB0472<br>(HB0580)                  | Labor and Employment -<br>Maryland Healthy Working<br>Families Act  | Senator<br>Pugh               | Hearing 3/03 at 1:00<br>p.m.   | Finance<br>3/3/2016 - 1:00 p.m.   |  |
| SB0485<br>(HB0740)                  | Task Force to Study Family<br>and Medical Leave<br>Insurance  | Senator<br>Pugh               | Returned Passed  | Finance<br>3/3/2016 - 1:00 p.m.   | Economic Matters   |
| SB0584<br>(HB0668)                  | Preschool Development<br>Grants - Expansion Grants -<br>Required State Funding  | Senator<br>King               | Returned Passed  | Budget and<br>Taxation<br>3/2/2016 - 3:00 p.m.  | Appropriations   |
| SB0794<br>(HB0657)                  | Education - Prekindergarten<br>and Kindergarten<br>Assessments -<br>Administration  | Senator<br>Jennings           | Passed Enrolled  | Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs<br>3/2/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                    | Ways and Means<br>3/31/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.                         |
| SB0840<br>(HB1253)                  | Income Tax - Rates,<br>Personal Exemptions, and<br>Earned Income Tax Credit   | President                     | Conference<br>Committee Appointed  | Budget and<br>Taxation<br>3/2/2016 - 1:00 p.m.  | Ways and Means<br>3/29/2016 - 1:00<br>p.m.                         |
| SB0872                              | Education - Prekindergarten<br>and Kindergarten<br>Assessments -<br>Administration  | Senator<br>Young              | Unfavorable Report<br>by Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs; Withdrawn   | Education, Health,<br>and Environmental<br>Affairs  |  |
| SB0950                              | Education - Students With<br>Disabilities - Study of  | Senator<br>Conway             | Third Reading<br>Passed (45-0)   | Education, Health,<br>and Environmental   | Ways and Means<br>3/31/2016 - 1:00                                 |

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|  | Parental Consent in the Individualized Education Program Process |  |  | Affairs<br>3/9/2016 - 1:00 p.m. | p.m. |
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## Availability & Quality of Child Care

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 2 | Title   | Primary Sponsor   | Status  | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates |
|--|---|-------------------|---|---|---|
| HB1402 / CH0032<br>(SB1125)                            | Education - Public School Opportunities Enhancement Act | Delegate McIntosh | Enacted under Article II, Section 17(b) of the Maryland Constitution - Chapter 32 | Ways and Means<br>3/10/2016 - 1:00 p.m.       | Budget and Taxation<br>3/23/2016 - 1:00 p.m.  |
| SB1125<br>(HB1402 / CH0032)                            | Education - Public School Opportunities Enhancement Act | Senator Ferguson  | Returned Passed   | Budget and Taxation<br>3/17/2016 - 1:30 p.m.  | Ways and Means<br>4/5/2016 - 1:00 p.m.        |

## Economic Self-Sufficiency & Family Support

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 1 | Title  | Primary Sponsor     | Status                    | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates |
|--|--|---------------------|---------------------------|---|---|
| HB0909   | Task Force to Study Paid Parental Leave Policies | Delegate Miller, A. | Hearing 3/30 at 1:00 p.m. | Appropriations<br>2/23/2016 - 1:00 p.m.       | Finance<br>3/30/2016 - 1:00 p.m.              |

## Governor's Office for Children

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 3 | Title  | Primary Sponsor   | Status   | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates                         |
|--|--|---|--|---|---|
| HB0067 / CH0089  | Maryland Infants and Toddlers Program - Composition        | Chair, Ways and Means Committee                               | Approved by the Governor - Chapter 89          | Ways and Means<br>1/28/2016 - 2:00 p.m.       | Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs<br>3/23/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |
| HB1501   | Governor's Office for Children - Family Navigators Program | Delegate Stein  | Unfavorable Report by Appropriations           | Appropriations<br>3/8/2016 - 1:00 p.m.        |   |
| SB0102   | Governor's Office for Children and Services to Children    | Chair, Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee | Rereferred to Finance (Senator Conway) Adopted | Finance<br>1/20/2016 - 3:00 p.m.              |   |

## Health & Safety

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 9 | Title  | Primary Sponsor    | Status  | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates             | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates             |
|--|--|--------------------|---|---|---|
| HB0539<br>(SB0297)                                     | Health Insurance - Habilitative Services - Period of Time for Coverage                                     | Delegate Kelly     | Unfavorable Report by Health and Government Operations; Withdrawn | Health and Government Operations<br>2/11/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |   |
| HB0715<br>(SB0644)                                     | Early Identification of Autism Act   | Delegate Kramer    | Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.   | Health and Government Operations<br>3/1/2016 - 1:00 p.m.  |   |
| HB1091<br>(SB0437)                                     | Criminal Law - Committing a Crime of Violence in the Presence of a Minor - Repeal of Residence Requirement | Delegate Morales   | Unfavorable Report by Judiciary                                   | Judiciary<br>2/26/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                        |   |
| HB1391   | Large Family Child Care Homes and Child Care Centers - Green Product Cleaning Supplies - Regulations       | Delegate Angel     | Hearing 3/07 at 1:00 p.m.   | Health and Government Operations<br>3/7/2016 - 1:00 p.m.  |   |
| HB1418<br>(SB0898)                                     | Public Health - Emergency Use Auto-Injectable Epinephrine Program for Food Service Facilities              | Delegate Cullison  | Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.   | Health and Government Operations<br>3/8/2016 - 1:00 p.m.  |   |
| SB0297<br>(HB0539)                                     | Health Insurance - Habilitative Services - Period of Time for Coverage                                     | Senator Madaleno   | Returned Passed   | Finance<br>2/10/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                          | Health and Government Operations<br>4/11/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |
| SB0437<br>(HB1091)                                     | Criminal Law - Committing a Crime of Violence in the Presence of a Minor - Repeal of Residence Requirement | Senator Lee        | Unfavorable Report by Judicial Proceedings; Withdrawn             | Judicial Proceedings<br>2/17/2016 - 1:00 p.m.             |   |
| SB0644<br>(HB0715)                                     | Early Identification of Autism Act   | Senator King       | Hearing 3/09 at 1:00 p.m.   | Finance<br>3/9/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                           |   |
| SB0898<br>(HB1418)                                     | Public Health - Auto-Injectable Epinephrine - Certification for Emergency Administration                   | Senator Klausmeier | Hearing 3/29 at 1:00 p.m.   | Finance<br>3/9/2016 - 1:00 p.m.                           | Health and Government Operations<br>3/29/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |

## Prevention of Child Abuse & Neglect

| Number / Chapter<br>(Cross File / Chapter)<br>Total: 4 | Title   | Primary Sponsor     | Status                                     | Original House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates | Opposite House Committee(s) and Hearing Dates |
|--|---|---------------------|--|---|---|
| HB0007<br>(SB0031)                                     | Family Law - Child Abuse and Neglect - Expungement of Reports and Records - Time Period | Delegate Sophocleus | Unfavorable Report by Judiciary; Withdrawn | Judiciary                                     |   |
| HB0245<br>(SB0310)                                     | Child Abuse and Neglect - Failure to Report   | Delegate Dumais     | Returned Passed                            | Judiciary<br>2/11/2016 - 1:00                 | Judicial Proceedings                          |

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|                    |   |                  |                 | p.m.  |                                    |
| SB0031<br>(HB0007) | Family Law - Child Abuse and Neglect - Expungement of Reports and Records - Time Period | Senator DeGrange | Passed Enrolled | Judicial Proceedings<br>1/27/2016 - 1:00 p.m. | Judiciary<br>3/22/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |
| SB0310<br>(HB0245) | Child Abuse and Neglect - Failure to Report   | Senator Raskin   | Returned Passed | Judicial Proceedings<br>2/18/2016 - 1:00 p.m. | Judiciary<br>3/31/2016 - 1:00 p.m. |