

1                   85. the Military Personnel and Veteran–Owned Small  
2 Business No–Interest Loan Fund; AND

3                   86. THE PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE COUNTY GRANT  
4 FUND.

5                   Article – State Government

6                   **SUBTITLE 32. JUSTICE REINVESTMENT OVERSIGHT BOARD.**

7                   **9–3201.**

8                   (A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS  
9 INDICATED.

10                  (B) “BOARD” MEANS THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT OVERSIGHT BOARD.

11                  (C) “EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR” MEANS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE  
12 GOVERNOR’S OFFICE OF CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION.

13                  (D) “FUND” MEANS THE PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE COUNTY GRANT FUND  
14 ESTABLISHED IN § 9–3209 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

15                  **9–3202.**

16                  THERE IS A JUSTICE REINVESTMENT OVERSIGHT BOARD IN THE  
17 GOVERNOR’S OFFICE OF CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION.

18                  **9–3203.**

19                  (A) THE BOARD CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

20                   (1) ONE MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND, APPOINTED BY THE  
21 PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE;

22                   (2) ONE MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, APPOINTED BY THE  
23 SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE;

24                   (3) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, OR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S  
25 DESIGNEE;

26                   (4) THE SECRETARY OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL  
27 SERVICES, OR THE SECRETARY’S DESIGNEE;

1           **(5) THE CHAIR OF THE MARYLAND PAROLE COMMISSION, OR THE**  
2 **CHAIR'S DESIGNEE;**

3           **(6) THE SECRETARY OF STATE POLICE, OR THE SECRETARY'S**  
4 **DESIGNEE;**

5           **(7) THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, OR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S**  
6 **DESIGNEE;**

7           **(8) THE PUBLIC DEFENDER, OR THE PUBLIC DEFENDER'S**  
8 **DESIGNEE;**

9           **(9) THE SECRETARY OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT, OR THE**  
10 **SECRETARY'S DESIGNEE;**

11           **(10) THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE, OR THE**  
12 **SECRETARY'S DESIGNEE;**

13           **(11) THE CHAIR OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT JUSTICE**  
14 **REINVESTMENT COMMISSION, OR THE CHAIR'S DESIGNEE;**

15           **(12) ONE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE COURT**  
16 **OF APPEALS;**

17           **(13) ONE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT**  
18 **COURT OF MARYLAND; AND**

19           **(14) THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR**  
20 **WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE:**

21                   **(I) ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING VICTIMS OF CRIME;**

22                   **(II) ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING THE MARYLAND STATE'S**  
23 **ATTORNEYS' ASSOCIATION;**

24                   **(III) ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING LAW ENFORCEMENT; AND**

25                   **(IV) ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING THE MARYLAND**  
26 **CORRECTIONAL ADMINISTRATORS ASSOCIATION.**

27           **(B) TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE, IN MAKING APPOINTMENTS UNDER THIS**  
28 **SECTION, THE GOVERNOR SHALL ENSURE GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY AMONG THE**  
29 **MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD.**

1           **(C) (1) THE TERM OF AN APPOINTED MEMBER OF THE BOARD IS 4 YEARS.**

2                   **(2) THE TERMS OF THE APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD ARE**  
3 **STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD**  
4 **ON OCTOBER 1, 2016.**

5           **(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, AN APPOINTED MEMBER:**

6                   **(I) IS ELIGIBLE FOR REAPPOINTMENT; AND**

7                   **(II) CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED**  
8 **AND QUALIFIES.**

9           **(4) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED OR REAPPOINTED AFTER A TERM**  
10 **HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A**  
11 **SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.**

12 **9-3204.**

13           **(A) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD.**

14           **(B) WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE BOARD, THE CHAIR MAY APPOINT A VICE**  
15 **CHAIR WHO SHALL HAVE THE DUTIES ASSIGNED BY THE CHAIR.**

16 **9-3205.**

17           **(A) A MAJORITY OF THE AUTHORIZED MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD IS A**  
18 **QUORUM.**

19           **(B) THE BOARD SHALL MEET AT LEAST TWICE EACH YEAR AT THE TIMES**  
20 **AND PLACES DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OR THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD.**

21           **(C) A MEMBER OF THE BOARD:**

22                   **(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICE ON THE BOARD;**  
23 **BUT**

24                   **(2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE**  
25 **STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.**

26 **9-3206.**

1           **THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION SHALL**  
2 **PROVIDE STAFF FOR THE BOARD.**

3 **9-3207.**

4           **(A) THE BOARD SHALL:**

5                   **(1) MONITOR PROGRESS AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE**  
6 **IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT**  
7 **COORDINATING COUNCIL;**

8                   **(2) CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LOCAL**  
9 **GOVERNMENT REINVESTMENT COMMISSION AND ANY LEGISLATION,**  
10 **REGULATIONS, RULES, BUDGETARY CHANGES, OR OTHER ACTIONS TAKEN TO**  
11 **IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT**  
12 **COORDINATING COUNCIL;**

13                   **(3) MAKE ADDITIONAL LEGISLATIVE AND BUDGETARY**  
14 **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE DATA-DRIVEN, FISCALLY SOUND CRIMINAL**  
15 **JUSTICE POLICY CHANGES;**

16                   **(4) COLLECT AND ANALYZE THE DATA SUBMITTED UNDER § 9-3208**  
17 **OF THIS SUBTITLE REGARDING PRETRIAL DETAINEES;**

18                   **(5) IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**  
19 **AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, THE MARYLAND PAROLE COMMISSION, THE**  
20 **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS, AND THE MARYLAND STATE**  
21 **COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL SENTENCING POLICY, CREATE PERFORMANCE**  
22 **MEASURES TO TRACK AND ASSESS THE OUTCOMES OF THE LAWS RELATED TO THE**  
23 **RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT COORDINATING COUNCIL;**

24                   **(6) CREATE PERFORMANCE MEASURES TO ASSESS THE**  
25 **EFFECTIVENESS OF THE GRANTS ADMINISTERED UNDER § 9-3209 OF THIS**  
26 **SUBTITLE; AND**

27                   **(7) CONSULT AND COORDINATE WITH:**

28                           **(I) THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT JUSTICE REINVESTMENT**  
29 **COMMISSION; AND**

30                           **(II) OTHER UNITS OF THE STATE AND LOCAL JURISDICTIONS**  
31 **CONCERNING JUSTICE REINVESTMENT ISSUES.**

1           **(B) THE BOARD MAY ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE MARYLAND**  
2 **DATA ANALYSIS CENTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND OR ANOTHER SIMILAR**  
3 **ENTITY THAT IS QUALIFIED TO COLLECT AND INTERPRET DATA IN ORDER TO ASSIST**  
4 **THE BOARD WITH ITS DUTIES.**

5 **9-3208.**

6           **(A) SEMIANNUALLY, EACH COUNTY, THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**  
7 **AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, THE MARYLAND PAROLE COMMISSION, THE**  
8 **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS, AND THE MARYLAND STATE**  
9 **COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL SENTENCING POLICY SHALL COLLECT AND REPORT**  
10 **DATA TO THE BOARD IN ORDER FOR THE BOARD TO PERFORM ITS DUTIES UNDER §**  
11 **9-3207 OF THIS SUBTITLE, INCLUDING DATA RELATING TO:**

12                   **(1) THE ADMISSION OF INMATES TO STATE AND LOCAL**  
13 **CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES;**

14                   **(2) THE LENGTH OF INMATE SENTENCES;**

15                   **(3) THE LENGTH OF TIME BEING SERVED BY INMATES;**

16                   **(4) RECIDIVISM;**

17                   **(5) THE POPULATION OF COMMUNITY SUPERVISION; AND**

18                   **(6) INFORMATION ABOUT THE INMATE POPULATION.**

19           **(B) ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31 EACH YEAR, EACH COUNTY, THE DIVISION OF**  
20 **PRETRIAL DETENTION AND SERVICES, AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE**  
21 **COURTS SHALL REPORT TO THE BOARD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE**  
22 **PRIOR CALENDAR YEAR REGARDING INDIVIDUALS HELD IN PRETRIAL DETENTION:**

23                   **(1) THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS DETAINED PRETRIAL ON THE SAME**  
24 **DAY EACH YEAR;**

25                   **(2) THE MEAN AND MEDIAN DAYS INDIVIDUALS WERE DETAINED IN**  
26 **PRETRIAL DETENTION;**

27                   **(3) THE CHARGES UNDER WHICH INDIVIDUALS WERE DETAINED IN**  
28 **PRETRIAL DETENTION;**

29                   **(4) THE REASONS WHY INDIVIDUALS WERE UNABLE TO SECURE**  
30 **RELEASE;**

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Maryland Alliance for Justice Reform (MAJR) played a central 2015 role in advocating and supporting efforts to pass the Justice Reinvestment initiative in Maryland. While the 2016 JRA bill is not perfect from MAJR's viewpoint, its many important reforms could reduce Maryland's prison population by 16% and save \$270 million within 10 years.

By reinvesting those funds in alternatives to incarceration, our state's crime rate also could be reduced, taxpayer funds could be saved, while communities and families are strengthened. **For all these reasons, MAJR strongly recommends support and passage of the 2016 Maryland Justice Reinvestment Act.** Together, we can work to fill policy gaps and make further improvements through supplemental policy initiatives and legislation in future years.