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BY: Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 162  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**and Young**” and substitute “**Young, Bartlett, Cardin, Conaway, Kaufman, Pasteur, Simpson, Taylor, Toles, and Williams**”; in line 3, after the second “the” insert “Maryland”; in the same line, strike “State Police” and substitute “Health”; and after line 27, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article - Tax - General  
Section 13-203(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2022 Replacement Volume)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, in line 10, after “**THE**” insert “**MARYLAND**”; in lines 10 and 14, strike “**STATE POLICE**” and substitute “**HEALTH**”; and in line 17, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2023, THE**”.

On page 6, in lines 7 and 19, in each instance, after “**(1)**” insert “**IN COORDINATION WITH THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION AND THE COMPTROLLER, BEGINNING WITH THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION’S RECORDS, VERIFY THE IDENTITY OF THE APPLICANT;**

**(2)**”;

in lines 8 and 10, strike “**(2)**” and “**(3)**”, respectively, and substitute “**(3)**” and “**(4)**”, respectively; in lines 10 and 22, in each instance, after “**REPOSITORY**” insert “**AND THE**

MARYLAND STATE POLICE"; and in lines 20 and 22, strike "~~(2)~~" and "~~(3)~~", respectively, and substitute "~~(3)~~" and "~~(4)~~", respectively.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 8, after line 9, insert:

**"Article – Tax – General**

13–203.

(c) Tax information may be disclosed to:

(1) an employee or officer of the State who, by reason of that employment or office, has the right to the tax information;

(2) another tax collector;

(3) the Maryland Tax Court;

(4) a legal representative of the State, to review the tax information about a taxpayer:

(i) who applies for review under this title;

(ii) who appeals from a determination under this title; or

(iii) against whom an action to recover tax or a penalty is pending or will be initiated under this title;

(5) any license issuing authority of the State required by State law to verify through the Comptroller that an applicant has paid all undisputed taxes and unemployment insurance contributions payable to the Comptroller or the Secretary of

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Labor or that the applicant has provided for payment in a manner satisfactory to the unit responsible for collection;

(6) a local official as defined in § 13-925 of this title to the extent necessary to administer Subtitle 9, Part V of this title;

(7) a federal official as defined in § 13-930 of this title to the extent necessary to administer Subtitle 9, Part VI of this title;

(8) the Maryland Department of Health in accordance with the federal Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2009;

(9) the State Board of Individual Tax Preparers;

(10) the Alcohol and Tobacco Commission;

(11) the Maryland 9-1-1 Board; [and]

(12) a person or governmental entity authorized by the Comptroller in writing to receive tax information for the purpose of identifying, preventing, or responding to fraud, provided that the tax information is:

(i) anonymized to the extent possible consistent with the information's intended use; and

(ii) in addition to any other protections and safeguards under law, subject to any protections and safeguards set forth by the Comptroller in the written authorization; [and]

(13) the Maryland Higher Education Commission; AND

(Over)

**(14) THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SOLELY TO VERIFY THROUGH THE COMPTROLLER THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANTS TO THE MARYLAND VOLUNTARY DO NOT SELL FIREARM REGISTRY UNDER TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 9 OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY ARTICLE.**;

and in line 11, strike “October” and substitute “June”.