HOUSE BILL 587

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By: **Delegate R. Watson** Introduced and read first time: January 20, 2021 Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

Department of Information Technology – Status of Information Technology and Cybersecurity in State Agencies – Reports

- 4 FOR the purpose of requiring each unit of State government to submit a certain report related to information technology and cybersecurity to the Department of $\mathbf{5}$ 6 Information Technology on or before a certain date each year; establishing the 7 required contents of certain reports; requiring the Department to compile and analyze certain information and report to each unit of State government and the 8 General Assembly certain information and recommendations each year; and 9 10 generally relating to information technology and cybersecurity in units of State government. 11
- 12 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
- 13 Article State Finance and Procurement
- 14 Section 3A–101(a) and (b)
- 15 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 16 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
- 17 BY adding to
- 18 Article State Finance and Procurement
- 19 Section 3A–315
- 20 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 21 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
- 22 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, 23 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
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Article – State Finance and Procurement

25 3A-101.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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1	(a)	In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.
2	(b)	"Department" means the Department of Information Technology.
3	3A-315.	
4 5 6 7		ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1 EACH YEAR, EACH UNIT OF STATE ENT SHALL SUBMIT TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE PREVIOUS FISCAL THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR A REPORT CONTAINING THE FOLLOWING ION:
8 9	INCLUDING	(1) THE NUMBER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STAFF POSITIONS, VACANT POSITIONS;
10 11	BY THE FOI	(2) THE UNIT'S INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY BUDGET, BROKEN DOWN LOWING CATEGORIES:
12		(I) SERVICES;
13		(II) EQUIPMENT;
14		(III) APPLICATIONS;
15		(IV) PERSONNEL;
16		(V) SOFTWARE LICENSING;
17		(VI) DEVELOPMENT;
18		(VII) NETWORK PROJECTS; AND
19		(VIII) MAINTENANCE;
$\begin{array}{c} 20\\ 21 \end{array}$	TAKING TO	(3) ANY MAJOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVES THE UNIT IS MODERNIZE THE UNIT'S INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS;
$\frac{22}{23}$	AND DATA I	(4) INITIATIVES TO TEST AND IMPROVE THE UNIT'S CYBERSECURITY PROTECTION;
$\begin{array}{c} 24 \\ 25 \end{array}$	CUSTOMER	(5) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVES TO IMPROVE ACCESS TO STATE SERVICES; AND
26		(6) THE UNIT'S PLANS FOR FUTURE FISCAL YEARS TO IMPLEMENT

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THE UNIT'S INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY GOALS. 1 $\mathbf{2}$ **(B)** BASED ON THE REPORTS FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL: 3 (1) 4 COMPILE AND ANALYZE THE INFORMATION IN THE REPORTS; AND (2) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31 EACH YEAR, REPORT TO EACH UNIT $\mathbf{5}$ AND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2–1257 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, THE 6 **GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON:** 7 8 THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE REPORTS THE **(I)** 9 **DEPARTMENT RECEIVES UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, BROKEN DOWN** 10 BY: 11 1. UNIT; 2. 12FISCAL YEAR; AND 133. THE CATEGORIES LISTED IN SUBSECTION (A)(2) OF 14THIS SECTION; AND 15**(II)** ANY RECOMMENDATIONS ON: 16 1. BEST PRACTICES TO ACHIEVE EFFICIENCY AND SECURITY IN PROVIDING INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES; AND 17182. POTENTIAL COST SAVING STRATEGIES. 19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 20October 1, 2021.