

HOUSE BILL 877

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By: **Delegates McComas, Carey, Cassilly, Glass, Hornberger, Impallaria, Krebs, Malone, McDonough, McKay, Parrott, Reilly, Rey, Saab, Sophocleus, B. Wilson, and C. Wilson**

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Handgun Permits – Alternative Expiration Date – Private Detectives, Security**
3 **Guards, and Special Police Officers**

4 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Secretary of State Police to establish an alternative
5 expiration date for a permit to carry, wear, or transport a handgun that coincides
6 with the expiration of a certain license, certification, or commission that the holder
7 has been issued; and generally relating to handgun permits.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article – Public Safety
10 Section 5–309(a)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

13 BY adding to
14 Article – Public Safety
15 Section 5–309(d)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

18 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
19 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



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Article – Public Safety

2 5–309.

3 (a) [A] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION, A permit
4 expires on the last day of the holder’s birth month following 2 years after the date the
5 permit is issued.

6 (D) THE SECRETARY MAY ESTABLISH AN ALTERNATIVE EXPIRATION DATE
7 FOR A PERMIT TO COINCIDE WITH THE EXPIRATION OF A LICENSE, CERTIFICATION,
8 OR COMMISSION FOR:

9 (1) A PRIVATE DETECTIVE UNDER TITLE 13 OF THE BUSINESS
10 OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE;

11 (2) A SECURITY GUARD UNDER TITLE 19 OF THE BUSINESS
12 OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE; OR

13 (3) A SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER UNDER § 3–306 OF THIS ARTICLE.

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
15 October 1, 2017.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.