

HOUSE BILL 835

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By: **Delegate Attar**

Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2020

Assigned to: Economic Matters

Committee Report: Favorable

House action: Adopted

Read second time: February 26, 2020

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Labor and Employment – Incentive Programs for Hiring and Retraining – List**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Department of Labor to develop a list of any
4 federal or State incentive programs available to an employer who hires and trains
5 formerly incarcerated individuals; requiring the Department to make the list
6 available on the main page of the Department's website; and generally relating to a
7 list of incentive programs for hiring and retraining formerly incarcerated
8 individuals.

9 BY adding to

10 Article – Labor and Employment

11 Section 11–605

12 Annotated Code of Maryland

13 (2016 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement)

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

16 **Article – Labor and Employment**

17 **11–605.**

18 **(A) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DEVELOP A LIST OF ANY FEDERAL OR STATE**
19 **INCENTIVE PROGRAMS AVAILABLE TO AN EMPLOYER WHO HIRES AND TRAINS**
20 **FORMERLY INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS.**

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.



1 **(B) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE THE LIST ACCESSIBLE ON THE MAIN**
2 **PAGE OF THE DEPARTMENT’S WEBSITE.**

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
4 October 1, 2020.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.