

# HOUSE BILL 962

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Assigned to: Judiciary

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Family Law – Child Support Guidelines – Publication of Periodic Review**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Child Support Enforcement Administration to publish  
4 certain periodic findings and recommendations relating to the child support  
5 guidelines on the Administration’s Web site; and generally relating to the findings  
6 and recommendations of the Child Support Enforcement Administration.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

8 Article – Family Law

9 Section 12–202(c)

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Family Law**

15 12–202.

16 (c) On or before January 1, 1993, and at least every 4 years after that date, the  
17 Child Support Enforcement Administration of the Department of Human Resources shall:

18 (1) review the guidelines set forth in this subtitle to ensure that the  
19 application of the guidelines results in the determination of appropriate child support  
20 award amounts; [and]

21 (2) report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly,  
22 subject to § 2–1246 of the State Government Article; **AND**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1                   **(3) PUBLISH ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE**  
2 **ADMINISTRATION’S WEB SITE.**

3                   SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
4 October 1, 2016.