

# HOUSE BILL 854

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Units of State Government – Award of Grants to Counties – Requirement of Paid**  
3 **Sick Leave**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring that the terms of a certain grant awarded to a county by a  
5 unit of State government require the county to provide to a certain employee paid  
6 sick leave that accrues at a certain rate; and generally relating to grants awarded to  
7 counties by units of State government.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – State Finance and Procurement

10 Section 2–208

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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

15 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

16 **2–208.**

17 **IF A UNIT OF STATE GOVERNMENT AWARDS A GRANT TO A COUNTY THAT**  
18 **PROVIDES FUNDING FOR AN EMPLOYEE POSITION, THE TERMS OF THE GRANT SHALL**  
19 **REQUIRE THE COUNTY TO PROVIDE TO THE EMPLOYEE HIRED TO FILL THE POSITION**  
20 **PAID SICK LEAVE THAT, AT A MINIMUM, ACCRUES AT A RATE OF 4 HOURS PER MONTH**  
21 **FOR A TOTAL OF 48 HOURS PER YEAR.**

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

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

