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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George’s County – High School Metal Detector Program – Established**

3 **PG 302–24**

4 FOR the purpose of establishing the High School Metal Detector Program in the Prince
5 George’s County Public School System to install a metal detector in each public high
6 school in the county by a certain date; and generally relating to metal detectors and
7 Prince George’s County public schools.

8 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
9 That:

10 (a) In this section, “Program” means the High School Metal Detector Program.

11 (b) There is a High School Metal Detector Program in the Prince George’s County
12 Public School System.

13 (c) The purpose of the Program is to install a metal detector in each public high
14 school in Prince George’s County.

15 (d) The Prince George’s County Superintendent of Schools shall administer the
16 Program.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (e) The Superintendent shall coordinate the installation of metal detectors in
2 each Prince George’s County public high school by June 30, 2026.

3 (f) For fiscal year 2025, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill an
4 appropriation of \$100,000 for the Program.

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
6 1, 2024. It shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of June 30, 2026,
7 this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and
8 of no further force and effect.