

## COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

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Bill No. 92-19

Introduced by Ms. Haire and Mr. Volke

By the County Council, December 2, 2019

Introduced and first read on December 2, 2019 Public Hearing set for and held on January 6, 2020 Public Hearing on AMENDED bill set for and held on January 21, 2020 Bill Expires March 6, 2020

By Order: JoAnne Gray, Administrative Officer

## A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN ORDINANCE concerning: Fair Housing – Exceptions
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3	FOR the purpose of excepting specific public service occupations from fair housing
4	provisions regarding the sale, rental, or occupancy of housing in the County; and
5	generally relating to fair housing.
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7	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments: § 1-9-105(d)
8	Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)
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10	SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland
11	That Section(s) of the Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended) read as follows:
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13	ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS
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15	TITLE 9. FAIR HOUSING
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17	1-9-105. Exceptions.
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19	(d) Preferences for certain public service occupations. This [[subtitle]] TITLE does
20	not prohibit a person from providing preferences in the sale, rental, or occupancy of
21	housing to [[a veteran and the veteran's household]] THE MILITARY, VETERANS OF THE
22	MILITARY, TEACHERS, POLICE OFFICERS, <u>DETENTION OFFICERS</u> , <u>DEPUTY SHERIFFS</u>

**EXPLANATION:** 

CAPITALS indicate new matter added to existing law.

[[Brackets]] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Captions and taglines in **bold** in this bill are catchwords and are not law.

Underlining indicates matter added to bill by amendment.

Strikeover indicates matter removed from bill by amendment.

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FIREFIGHTERS, THOSE WHO PROVIDE EMERGENCY SERVICES, AND THE HOUSEHOLDS OF THESE PUBLIC SERVICE OCCUPATIONS, to the extent authorized by federal or State law.

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SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That this Ordinance shall take effect 45 days from the date it becomes law.