MARYLAND

Nicknames ........................................ The Old Line State and Free State
Motto .............................................. Fatti Manichi, Purcho Femoine
(Many Deeds, Womanly Words)
Flower ................................................ Black-eyed Susan
Bird ...................................................... Baltimore Oriole
Tree ...................................................... White Oak
Song ..................................................... Maryland, My Maryland
Entered the Union ................................ April 28, 1988
Capital .................................................. Annapolis

STATISTICS

Land Area (square miles) .............................. 9,707
Rank in Nation ....................................... 42
Population ........................................... 6,016,447
Rank in Nation ....................................... 19
Density per square mile .............................. 618.8
Capital City ........................................... Annapolis
Population ........................................... 39,474
Rank in State ........................................ 7
Largest City .......................................... Baltimore
Population ........................................... 6,016,449
Number of Representatives in Congress ........... 1
Number of 2016 Electoral Votes ...................... 10
Number of Geographic Counties ..................... 24
Number of County Governments .................... 23
Number of County Equivalents ...................... 1
Number of Municipal Governments ................. 157
Number of Special Districts ......................... 167

*The city of Baltimore is an Independent City and considered a county equivalent.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Legislative Body ..................................... General Assembly
President of the Senate .............................. Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President Pro Tem of the Senate .................... Nathaniel J. McFadden
Secretary of the Senate ............................ William J. B. Addison, Jr.
Speaker of the House .............................. Michael E. Busch
Speaker Pro Tem of the House ..................... Adrienne A. Jones
Clerk of the House .................................. Sylvia Sengert
(Chief)

2017 Regular Session ............................... Jan. 11 – April 10, 2017
Number of Senatorial Districts ...................... 47
Number of Representative Districts ............... 47

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Governor ............................................. Larry Hogan
Lieutenant Governor .................................. Boyd Rutherford
Secretary of State .................................... John C. Wobensmith
Attorney General ..................................... Brian Frosh
Comptroller ........................................... Nancy K. Kopp
Auditor .................................................. Thomas J. Bice
State Treasurer ...................................... Nancy K. Kopp
(Chief)

Governor’s Present Term ......................... 1/2015 – 1/2019
Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch............... 4
Number of Members in the Cabinet .................. 25

JUDICIAL BRANCH

Highest Court ...................................... Court of Appeals
Supreme Court Chief Justice ....................... Mary Ellen Barbera
Number of Supreme Court Judges ................... 7
Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges ........... 12
Number of U.S. Court Districts ...................... 1
12th Circuit Court .................................... 4th Circuit