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2 **Maryland Emergency Management Assistance Compact** - For the purpose of respectfully
3 requesting that the Maryland General Assembly amend the Maryland Emergency Management
4 Assistance Compact to add the City of Annapolis as a listed jurisdiction in Section 14-801(e) of
5 the Public Safety Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

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7 **CITY COUNCIL OF THE**
8 **City of Annapolis**

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10 **Resolution 28-15**

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12 **Introduced by: Mayor Pantelides**

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14 **Referred to**

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16 **A RESOLUTION** concerning

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18 **Maryland Emergency Management Assistance Compact**

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20 **FOR** the purpose of respectfully requesting that the Maryland General Assembly amend the
21 Maryland Emergency Management Assistance Compact to add the City of Annapolis as a
22 listed jurisdiction in Section 14-801(e) of the Public Safety Article of the Annotated Code
23 of Maryland.

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25 **WHEREAS,** the Maryland Emergency Management Assistance Compact (MEMAC)
26 provides a mechanism for member jurisdictions under which assistance may be
27 rendered to enhance public safety; and

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29 **WHEREAS,** the City of Annapolis has the capabilities to provide assistance and support to
30 member jurisdictions; and

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32 **WHEREAS,** the City of Annapolis is not currently a MEMAC listed jurisdiction, which must
33 coordinate any assistance it may render through Anne Arundel County to
34 provide support; and

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36 **WHEREAS,** coordination through Anne Arundel County creates administrative burdens and
37 reduces the efficient flow of resources during an emergency; and

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39 **WHEREAS,** the Mayor and Alderpersons of the City of Annapolis desire to assist member
40 jurisdictions directly and to reduce administrative burdens associated with
41 responding to public safety emergencies.

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43 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL** that the
44 City of Annapolis respectfully requests that the Maryland General Assembly amend
45 Section 14-801(e) of the Public Safety Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland to
46 include the City of Annapolis as a listed jurisdiction.

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AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL that the City Clerk shall send a copy of this Resolution to the Maryland Governor, the Speaker of the House of Delegates, the President of the Senate and the Maryland Municipal League.

EXPLANATION

CAPITAL LETTERS indicate matter added to existing law.

~~Strikethrough~~ indicates matter stricken from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments.