Chapter 92

(House Bill 297)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Lynching Truth and Reconciliation Committee Commission - Reporting and Sunset Extension

FOR the purpose of extending the time for the submission of the final report of the Maryland Lynching Truth and Reconciliation Commission; extending the termination date for the Commission; making technical corrections; and generally relating to the Maryland Lynching Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Chapter 41 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2019 Section 1(h) and 2

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

Chapter 41 of the Acts of 2019

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

- (h) (1) On or before September 1, 2020, the Commission shall submit an interim report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with [§ 2–1246] § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.
- (2) On or before December 1, [2021] **2022 2023**, the Commission shall submit a final report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with [§ 2–1246] § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2019. It shall remain effective for a period of [3] **4** 5 years and 1 month and, at the end of June 30, [2022] **2023 2024**, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2021.

Approved by the Governor, April 13, 2021.