Chapter 335

(House Bill 839)

AN ACT concerning

State Department of Assessments and Taxation – Lists of Business Entities Not Filing Annual Report

FOR the purpose of limiting, in certain circumstances, the business entities required to be included on certain lists certified by the State Department of Assessments and Taxation to those entities that did not file a certain report during the prior year; and generally relating to business entities that do not file required annual reports.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Corporations and Associations

Section 3–503(c), 4A–911(c), 9A–1007(c), 10–209(c), and 12–801(c)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2014 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)

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

Article - Corporations and Associations

3-503.

(c) Immediately after September 30 of each year, the Department shall certify a list of every Maryland corporation which has not filed an annual report with the Department **FOR THE PRIOR YEAR** as required by law or has not paid a tax before October 1 of the year after the report was required to be filed or the taxes were due.

4A-911.

(c) Immediately after September 30 of each year, the Department shall certify a list of every Maryland limited liability company that has not filed an annual report with the Department FOR THE PRIOR YEAR as required by law or has not paid a tax before October 1 of the year after the report was required to be filed or the taxes were due.

9A-1007.

(c) Immediately after September 30 of each year, the Department shall certify a list of every Maryland limited liability partnership that has not filed an annual report with the Department **FOR THE PRIOR YEAR** as required by law or has not paid a tax before October 1 of the year after the report was required to be filed or the taxes were due.

10 - 209.

(c) Immediately after September 30 of each year, the Department shall certify a list of every Maryland limited partnership that has not filed an annual report with the Department FOR THE PRIOR YEAR as required by law or has not paid a tax before October 1 of the year after the report was required to be filed or the taxes were due.

12-801.

(c) As soon as practicable after October 1 of each year, the Department shall certify a list of every Maryland statutory trust that has not filed an annual report with the Department FOR THE PRIOR YEAR as required by law or has not paid a tax that was due before October 1 of the year.

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

Approved by the Governor, May 18, 2021.