Maryland No Representation without Population Act

Requires that prisoners in state and federal prisons are to be counted at their last known address prior to incarceration for purposes of congressional, legislative, and local redistricting.
How the Act and its Regulations Handles Inmates

**Federal Prisoners**  Not included

**Nonresident Inmates**  Not included

**Homeless**  Counted at prison

**Address Not Found**  Counted at prison

**Unknown Address**  Counted at prison
Participating Agencies

• Maryland Department of Planning

• Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services

• Maryland Department of Legislative Services
Prisoner Reallocation Process

Dept. of Corrections

Dept. of Planning

Caliper Corp.

Legislative Services

And

Dept. of Planning
Survey Process

- DOC sends address list to facilities to verify and complete
  - Interviews
  - Pre-sentence docs
  - Intake form
Geo-Coding Process

- Process of geographically locating addresses
- Overall match rate of 77%
Adjustment Process

Caliper Corp. adjusted population from 21 facility census blocks
To
Over 10,000 census blocks were inmates last resided.
Notable Numbers

- 22,064: No. of Prisoner Records Involved
- 10,313: No. of Census Blocks Adjusted
- 33: No. of Correctional Facilities Involved
- 16,988: No. of Prisoners Adjusted
- 3,755: No. of Resident Prisoners Not Relocated
- 1,321: No. of Nonresident (federal) Prisoners Not Relocated
- 2: No. of Blocks with Negative Population
- 10: No. of Blocks with Negative Racial Categories
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