

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
**2014 Legislative Session**

Resolution No. CR-69-2014  
 Proposed by Council Member Harrison  
 Introduced by Council Members Harrison, Franklin, Lehman, Olson, Turner, Davis and  
Patterson  
 Date of Introduction June 30, 2014

**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Automated Purchasing Machines

3 For the purpose of designating a principal law enforcement unit to comply with State law,  
 4 pertaining to the State regulation and State licensing of automated purchasing machines, and  
 5 generally relating to automated purchasing machines.

6 WHEREAS, an automated purchasing machine is a self-service device that is designed to  
 7 dispense money in exchange for personal property and is also known as a reverse vending  
 8 machine; and

9 WHEREAS, during the 2014 Session of the Maryland General Assembly, Chapter 161 of  
 10 the Laws of Maryland of 2014 was enacted regarding the State regulation and State licensing of  
 11 automated purchasing machines; and

12 WHEREAS, Chapter 161 of the Laws of Maryland of 2014 is codified in the Business  
 13 Regulation Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Sections 20-101 through 20-502, Title  
 14 20. Automated Purchasing Machines, and requires the designation of a primary law enforcement  
 15 unit to provide a law enforcement contact for State regulated and State licensed automated  
 16 purchasing machines within Prince George's County; and

17 WHEREAS, Prince George's County prohibits the installation or operation of automated  
 18 purchasing machines within the County; and

19 WHEREAS, the purpose for designating a primary law enforcement unit for automated  
 20 purchasing machines is to comply with State law.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's  
 22 County, Maryland, that the Prince George's County Police Department is designated as the

primary law enforcement unit for purposes of compliance with the State laws regulating and  
State laws licensing automated purchasing machines.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mel Franklin  
Chairman

ATTEST:

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Redis C. Floyd  
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Rushern L. Baker, III  
County Executive