

Maryland State Commission on Criminal Sentencing Policy



New Sentencing Guidelines Offenses (2022)

Seriousness categories (CAT) adopted effective November 14, 2022

OFFENSE	SOURCE	LEVEL	MAX	MIN	TYPE	CAT	FINE
Perjury Perjury—willfully make a false, fraudulent, or misleading statement under oath in a campaign finance report; submit a campaign finance report on behalf of another person without their consent	EL, §14-109(c) CR, §9-101 (penalty)	Misd.	10Y		Property	IV	
Perjury Perjury—willfully make a false, fraudulent, or misleading statement under oath in a statement filed by a person providing compensation to a lobbyist; make an electronic submission of a statement required by GP, §5-716 on behalf of another person without their consent	GP, §5-716(n) CR, §9-101 (penalty)	Misd.	10Y		Property	IV	
Weapons Crimes—In General Purchase, receive, sell, offer to sell, or transfer an unfinished frame or receiver that has not been imprinted with a serial number in compliance with federal laws and regulations (i.e., a “ghost gun”)	PS, §5-703(c)(1)	Misd.	5Y		Person	V	\$10,000
Weapons Crimes—In General Possess a firearm that has not been imprinted with a serial number in compliance with federal laws and regulations	PS, §5-703(c)(2)	Misd.	2Y		Person	VI	\$10,000