

# MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

## RECRUITMENT NOTICE

**Position(s):** Contractual Legislative Assistant, Legislation Function (October - April)  
Office of Policy Analysis

**Salary:** \$18.00/hour

**Application Deadline:** Open Until Filled

**Team Member Benefits:** [Click Here to Learn More](#)

### **Principal Duties:**

A Legislative Assistant in the Legislation function provides administrative support to the staff who draft bills and amendments, committees, local legislative delegations, and the proposed regulation process. Duties involve providing administrative and secretarial support to the Office of Policy Analysis. Duties include tracking legislation, entering legislative requests, formatting amendments, and distributing hard copy materials within the legislative complex.

### **Qualifications:**

- Two years of general clerical or administrative support experience
- Proficient in Microsoft Suite
- Ability to set priorities, plan, and organize
- Effective communication skills, including strong grammar
- Demonstrate excellent customer service skills
- Ability to perform accurate work in a timely manner and coordinate multiple tasks and projects in a fast-paced environment
- Ability to work independently, in teams, and sometimes under extreme time pressures
- Availability for extended work hours, including late night and weekend work, during the 90-day legislative session (January-April). Standard office hours during the legislative interim (May-December).
- Ability to lift things up to 50 pounds

**Work Environment:** Employees of the Department of Legislative Services function on a nonpartisan basis and by law may not engage in partisan political activity at any time at the federal, state, or local level. The department offers a diverse and collegial environment for persons motivated to provide nonpartisan support to Maryland's legislative and policymaking process.

### **To Apply:**

Email Resume and Cover Letter to [jobs@mlis.state.md.us](mailto:jobs@mlis.state.md.us) and include code 21-22. The cover letter should state the reasons for interest in the position, any relevant experience, and availability to begin work.

**NOTE:** An exercise assessing basic skills is part of the interview process.

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