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Natasha Mehu Joins Leading Annapolis Firm Manis Canning & Associates

Mayor Brandon M. Scott: Mehu is an "intelligent, collaborative and innovative leader"



ANNAPOLIS, MD: Natasha Mehu, a longtime fixture in Maryland policy circles, has joined Manis Canning & Associates (MCA), the firm announced. She joins a team at MCA that has more than 100 years of experience working with legislatures, executives, and regulators in local, state and federal governments.

Prior to joining MCA, Natasha served as the Director of the Mayor's Office of Government Relations for Baltimore City. She led the city's local, state, and federal legislative affairs. Her team served as the city's internal and external liaisons to government agencies on all levels and oversaw the mayor's participation in various government membership organizations.

"As the director of the Mayor's Office of Government Relations, Natasha has absolutely delivered for the residents of Baltimore City by helping to establish and maintain productive and purposeful relationships with legislators locally, in Annapolis and down to Washington, D.C.," said Baltimore Mayor Brandon M. Scott. "Natasha is an intelligent, collaborative and innovative leader who thrives on finding solutions that allow people to live and work in the most efficient and effective way possible."

"Manis Canning has led the way in Annapolis for the last 50 years and Natasha's addition to the team ensures we'll deliver for our clients for many years to come. Her credibility, her integrity and her teamwork meet our high standards at Manis Canning and we know she will deliver superior results.," said Nick Manis, Managing Partner at MCA.

Natasha previously worked as the Legislative Director for the Maryland Association of Counties (MACo) where she spearheaded MACo's advocacy efforts in Annapolis. She focused on policy development, analysis, and advocacy in the areas of business affairs, government liability and courts, health and human services, housing and community development, and public safety and corrections.

Prior to working at MACo, Natasha was a project manager for the Home Owners Preserving Equity (HOPE) program within the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development's Division of Neighborhood Revitalization.

Natasha is a graduate of The University of Maryland, College Park, where she earned a B.A. in Communication. She received her J.D. with a certificate in Health Law from The University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law.

Natasha has served as MACo's representative on the Standing Advisory Committee on Opioid-Associated Disease Prevention and Outreach Programs and served on the Board of Directors for the Maryland Government Relations Association (MGRA) of which she is still a member. She is also a member of the Maryland State Bar Association.

About Manis Canning: *One of the premier lobbying firms in Annapolis, Manis Canning & Associates (MCA) has been representing the interests of its clients for almost 50 years, dating back to 1974. Our team collectively has more than 100 years of experience working with legislatures, executives, and regulators in local, state and federal governments. We provide creative, proactive government affairs, public relations, business and trade association management strategies and programs to a diverse group of clients. Expertise in varied disciplines such as law, fiscal policy, business regulation, education, healthcare, grassroots lobbying, public relations and business development give us the unique ability to assess a situation and recommend a successful resolution to a problem.*