

Program, and for payment to proprietary profit making nursing homes of a fair rate of return to owners, and report its findings to the General Assembly no later than January 15, 1981.

SECTION 2- 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 27, 1980.

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CHAPTER 846

(House Bill 155)

AN ACT concerning

Emergency Lighting and Electric Power Systems  
for Buildings

FOR the purpose of requiring certain buildings, either owned by the State of Maryland, its subdivisions or any other entity, having a certain number of stories and occupancy to provide for an emergency lighting and electric power system; vesting the power to enforce this section in the State Fire Marshal; authorizing the State Fire Prevention Commission to provide and implement certain rules and regulations requiring the emergency lighting and electric power standards approved by certain departments of the State; requiring ~~the source of control of the emergency lighting and electric power system~~ installation and operation of emergency lighting and power to meet certain standards; providing for certain enforcement powers of Baltimore City; ~~and~~ providing for a penalty for violations of these provisions; and relating generally to emergency lighting and electric power systems for certain buildings.

BY adding to

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations  
Section 58 to be under the new subheading "Emergency Lighting and Electric Power Systems for Buildings"  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1978 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations