

to protect children, the measure of accomplishment of the purpose" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the findings in subsection (a) of this section.

The only other changes are in style.

As to subsection (b) of this section, the Commission to Revise the Annotated Code notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that references such as "relative" and "friend" are unclear and, therefore, clarifying legislation may be appropriate.

Defined term: "Child" § 14-101

14-103. SCOPE OF SUBTITLE.

THIS SUBTITLE DOES NOT SUPERSEDE:

(1) ANY RIGHT OR POWER OF THE STATE SOCIAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION OR ANY LOCAL DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES;

(2) ANY RIGHT OR POWER OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OR A COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION; OR

(3) ANY BUILDING CODE OR ZONING PROVISION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as Article 43, § 717 -- except item (4) of that section.

In item (1) of this section, the references to the "State Social Services Administration" and "local department of social services" are substituted for the obsolete reference to the "State and local department of public welfare".

In item (2) of this section, reference to a "county" department of education is substituted for the ambiguous reference to a "local" department.

In item (3) of this section, the former reference to the zoning provision being "in effect in any local area" is deleted as unnecessary.

The only other changes are in style.

Former Article 43, § 717(4), which excluded "a home, facility, or agency other than the group day-care centers here defined", is deleted as unnecessary in light of the use of the defined term "group day care center" in this subtitle.