

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 17, 1983;~~ AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 24, 1983.

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CHAPTER 408

(House Bill 184)

AN ACT concerning

Estates and Trusts - Wills - Lapse

~~FOR the purpose of applying the lapse provision in the estates of decedents law to testators who die on or after a certain date, rather than to wills executed on or after a certain date~~ providing an exception to certain provisions regarding the application of certain laws to wills executed before January 1, 1970 to provide that a certain anti-lapse provision applies to the legacy of any testator who dies on or after a certain date.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Estates and Trusts  
Section 4-403  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Estates and Trusts  
Section 12-102(d)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Estates and Trusts

4-403.