(2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement) (As enacted by Section 1 of this Act)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Family Law

Section 5-3B-20, 5-3B-21(a), and 5-3B-22(b)(3)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

(As enacted by Section 1 of this Act)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Insurance

Section 12-201(b)(2)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2003 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section(s) 5-352(c), 5-3A-34(a), (b), and (c), 5-3A-35(a), (b), and (c), 5-3A-36, 5-3B-15(a) through (d), 5-3B-19, 5-3B-20, 5-3B-21, 5-3B-22, 5-3B-24, and 5-3B-25, respectively, of Article – Family Law of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 5-352(d), 5-3A-35(a), (b), and (d), 5-3A-36(a), (b), and (d), 5-3A-37, 5-3B-15(c) though (f), 5-3B-20, 5-3B-21, 5-3B-22, 5-3B-23, 5-3B-24, 5-3B-25, and 5-3B-26, respectively.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## Article 88A - Department of Human Resources

18.

The Department of Human Resources shall maintain a website on which to post notices of petitions under §§ 5–316(f)(3)(ii), 5–3A–15(d)(3)(ii), and [5–3B–15(d)(3)(ii)] 5–3B–15(F)(3)(II) of the Family Law Article.

COMMITTEE NOTE: This section is amended to reflect the renumbering of current FL § 5-3B-15(d) as proposed FL § 5-3B-15(f).

## Article - Family Law

5-307.

- (a) (1) Unless the public defender is required under Article 27A, § 4 of the Code to provide representation, in a case under Part II or Part III of this subtitle, a juvenile court shall appoint an attorney to represent a parent who:
- (ii) when a petition for guardianship or adoption is filed OR CONSENT TO GUARDIANSHIP OR ADOPTION IS GIVEN, is a minor.

COMMITTEE NOTE: Subsection (a)(1)(ii) of this section is amended to ensure that a parent who signs a consent while a minor but becomes an adult