

pursuant to subsection (d). Succeeding continuation statements may be filed in the same manner to continue the effectiveness of the initial financing statement.

(f) If a debtor is a transmitting utility and a filed financing statement so indicates, the financing statement is effective until a termination statement is filed.

(g) A record of a mortgage that is effective as a financing statement filed as a fixture filing under § 9-502(c) remains effective as a financing statement filed as a fixture filing until the mortgage is released or satisfied of record or its effectiveness otherwise terminates as to the real property.

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(c) This title does not render ineffective an effective financing statement that, before this title takes effect, is filed and satisfies the applicable requirements for perfection under the law of the jurisdiction governing perfection as provided in the prior Code. However, except as otherwise provided in subsections (e) and (f) and § 9-706, the financing statement ceases to be effective at the earlier of:

(1) The time the financing statement would have ceased to be effective under the law of the jurisdiction in which it is filed; or

(2) June 30, 2006.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be applicable to all continuation statements filed before July 1, 2006.

SECTION 2. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has 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, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

Enacted May 26, 2006.

CHAPTER 522

(Senate Bill 369)

AN ACT concerning

Health Care Decisions Act - Advance Directives - Selection of Health Care Agent and Treatment Preferences

FOR the purpose of clarifying certain forms relating to the selection of certain health care agents, certain treatment preferences, and certain donations; clarifying that certain surrogate decision-makers may make certain decisions when certain health care agents are unavailable; ~~authorizing certain certifications of incapacity to be made by certain physicians or certain psychologists nurse practitioners;~~ repealing a certain provision; ~~defining certain terms~~ altering a certain definition; and generally relating to the Health Care Decisions Act.