Article Environment

Section 6 815(f) and 6 819(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

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Section 6-815(e) and 6-819(f) and (g)

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

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6 - 801.

- (g) "Exterior surfaces" means:
 - (1) All fences and porches that are part of an affected property:
- (2) All outside surfaces of an affected property that are accessible to a child and that ARE:
- (i) [Are attached] ATTACHED to the outside of an affected property; or
- (ii) [Consist of other] OTHER buildings AND STRUCTURES, INCLUDING PLAY EQUIPMENT, BENCHES, AND LAUNDRY LINE POLES, that are part of the affected property, EXCEPT BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES OWNED BY PUBLIC UTILITIES, CABLE PROVIDERS OR A UNIT OF FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL COVERNMENT, OR ANY PUBLIC, QUASI PUBLIC, OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION THAT ARE NOT OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE OWNER OF THE AFFECTED PROPERTY; and
- (3) All painted surfaces in stairways, hallways, entrance areas, recreation areas, laundry areas, and garages within a multifamily rental dwelling unit that are common to individual dwelling units and are accessible to a child. 6-804.
- (a) Affected property is exempt from the provisions of Part IV of this subtitle if the owner submits to the Department an inspection report that:
- (1) Indicates that the affected property has been tested for the presence of lead-based paint in accordance with standards and procedures established by the Department by regulation;
 - (2) States that: