SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2005.

Approved May 26, 2005.

CHAPTER 609

(House Bill 1549)

AN ACT concerning

Corporations and Associations - Notice of Change of Resident Agent - Filing Fees

FOR the purpose of altering the nonrefundable fee that the Department of Assessments and Taxation must collect to process a notice of change of the name or address of a resident agent; establishing a certain maximum fee for a bulk filing of notices of changes of the names or addresses of resident agents; and generally relating to fees collected by the Department of Assessments and Taxation.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Corporations and Associations

Section 1-203(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Corporations and Associations

Section 1-203(b)(2)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

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

Article - Corporations and Associations

1-203.

- (a) In addition to any organization and capitalization fee required under § 1-204 of this article, subject to subsection (c) of this section, the Department shall collect the fees specified in subsection (b) of this section.
- (b) (2) For each of the following documents, the nonrefundable processing fee is [\$25] AS INDICATED:
 - (i) Notice of change of address of principal office[;]\$25