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CHAPTER 459

(House Bill 1569)

AN ACT concerning

Nursing Homes - Application - Required Information

FOR the purpose of requiring a nursing home to provide certain information in writing to a person, other than an applicant, if the person is required to sign an application or contract for admission to a nursing home.

BY renumbering

Article - Health - General  
Section 19-344(b) through (p), respectively  
to be Section 19-344(c) through (q), respectively  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1982 Volume and 1984 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Health - General  
Section 19-344(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1982 Volume and 1984 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section(s) 19-344(b) through (p), respectively, of Article - Health - General of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 19-344(c) through (q), respectively.

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

Article - Health - General

19-344.

(B) IF, IN ADDITION TO THE SIGNATURE OF AN APPLICANT, A FACILITY REQUIRES THE SIGNATURE OF ANOTHER PERSON ON THE APPLICATION OR CONTRACT FOR ADMISSION TO THE FACILITY, THE FACILITY SHALL PROVIDE A WRITTEN STATEMENT TO BE INCLUDED IN THE DOCUMENT OF THE RIGHTS, DUTIES, AND LIABILITIES OF THE SIGNER OF THE DOCUMENT.