CHAPTER 349

(Senate Bill 663)

AN ACT concerning

Domiciliary Care Homes - Level of Nursing Care Regulations

FOR the purpose of requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to adopt regulations establishing a certain level of nursing care in certain domiciliary care homes; requiring Department to cooperate with local subdivisions that license personal care boarding homes for certain purposes; generally relating to nursing care in certain domiciliary homes.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health - General Section 19-301(e), (i), and (k) Annotated Code of Maryland (1987 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Health - General Section 19-324.2 Annotated Code of Maryland (1987 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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

Article - Health - General

19-301.

- (e) (1) "Domiciliary care" means services that are provided to aged or disabled individuals in a protective, institutional or home-type environment.
 - (2) "Domiciliary care" includes:
 - (i) Shelter:
 - (ii) Housekeeping services;
 - (iii) Board;