CHAPTER 370

(House Bill 650)

AN ACT concerning

Elections - Voter Registration

FOR the purpose of making changes in provisions of law relating to voter registration to comply with the National Voter Registration Act of 1993; designating the State Administrator of Election Laws as the chief State election official; revising provisions of law concerning voter registration by mail; providing for voter registration on applications for the issuance and renewal of driver's licenses; providing that a change of address or change of name form submitted to the Motor Vehicle Administration for driver's license purposes also serve as notice of a change of address or change of name for voter registration purposes, except under certain circumstances; providing for the designation and duties of voter registration agencies at public and private locations; defining the circumstances in which voters may be removed from the voter roll; providing for the identification, notification, and removal of certain voters from the voter roll; providing for the interpretation of this Act; making provisions of this Act severable; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the registration of voters.

BY adding to

Article 33 - Election Code

Section 1-1(a)(5A), 3-2A, 3-2B, and 3-17A

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code

Section 1A-1(b), 3-1(c), 3-8(a), and 3-17(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article 33 - Election Code

Section 3-2(e), 3-20, and 3-24

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

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