YEARS A CERTIFICATION, BY A DEPARTMENT ACCREDITED INSPECTOR, STATING THAT NO EXTERIOR PAINTED SURFACE OF THE AFFECTED PROPERTY IS CHIPPING, PEELING, OR FLAKING.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1996.

Approved April 30, 1996.

CHAPTER 177

(House Bill 20)

AN ACT concerning

Guardianship - Minors - Notice

FOR the purpose of requiring a petitioner in certain guardianship proceedings to give notice to the attorney who represented the minor child in the juvenile proceeding when the petition for guardianship is filed after a juvenile proceeding; clarifying language; and generally relating to giving notice in guardianship proceedings.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Family Law

Section 5-322(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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

Article - Family Law

5-322.

- (a) (1) (i) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, a petitioner shall give to each person whose consent is required notice of the filing of a petition for adoption or a petition for guardianship.
- (ii) In addition to the notice of filing required under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, if a petition for guardianship is filed after a juvenile proceeding in which the child has been adjudicated to be a child in need of assistance, a neglected child, or an abused child, a petitioner shall give notice of the filing of the petition for guardianship to:
- 1. the attorney who represented a natural parent in the juvenile proceeding; AND
- 2. THE ATTORNEY WHO REPRESENTED THE MINOR CHILD IN THE JUVENILE PROCEEDING.