## 1997 LAWS OF MARYLAND

- (I) 1. A RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY CONSTRUCTED BEFORE 1950 THAT CONTAINS NOT MORE THAN ONE RENTAL DWELLING UNIT; OR
- 2. A RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY THAT CONTAINS NOT MORE THAN ONE RENTAL DWELLING UNIT FOR WHICH THE OWNER MAKES AN ELECTION UNDER § 6-803(A)(2) OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE; OR
  - (II) AN INDIVIDUAL RENTAL DWELLING UNIT WITHIN:
- 1. A RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY CONSTRUCTED BEFORE 1950 THAT CONTAINS MORE THAN ONE RENTAL DWELLING UNIT; OR
- 2. A RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY THAT CONTAINS MORE THAN ONE RENTAL DWELLING UNIT FOR WHICH THE OWNER MAKES AN ELECTION UNDER § 6-803(A)(2) OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE.
- (2) "AFFECTED PROPERTY" DOES NOT INCLUDE PROPERTY EXEMPTED UNDER § 6-803(B) OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE.
  - (d) "Authorized insurer" means an insurer that:
    - (1) Holds a certificate of authority in the State;
- (2) Issues or issues for delivery in the State third party bodily injury liability insurance under:
  - (i) Homeowners' coverage;
  - (ii) Owners', landlords', and tenants' coverage; or
  - (iii) Other premises liability coverage; and
  - (3) Is subject to regulation by the Maryland Insurance Administration.
  - (e) (1) "Department" means the Department of the Environment.
    - (2) "Department" includes a designee of the Secretary of the Environment.
  - (f) "Owner" has the meaning stated in § 6-801(0) of the Environment Article.
- (G) "RENTAL DWELLING UNIT" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 6–801(T) OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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- (b) (1) "Affected property" means [a property with at least one rental dwelling unit]:
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