

4-103.

(a) Under the supervision of the Commissioner, the Mediation Service shall carry out this subtitle.

(b) The Commissioner may assign staff to help the Chief Mediator to carry out this subtitle.

(c) ~~THE COMMISSIONER MAY CHARGE A FEE TO COVER THE COST OF PROVIDING SERVICES REQUESTED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.~~

4-405.

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act, Subtitles 1 and 2 of this title and § 4-403 of this subtitle shall terminate and be of no effect after July 1, [2004] 2014.

5-101.

(a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.

(d) (1) "Employer" means:

(i) except as provided in § 5-401 of this title, a person who is engaged in commerce, industry, trade, or other business in the State and employs at least 1 employee in that business; or

(ii) ~~EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBTITLE 8, PART III OF THIS TITLE,~~ a public body.

(2) "Employer" includes:

(i) a person who operates or owns a taxicab business in Baltimore City and leases or rents a taxicab to a licensed taxicab driver, to provide services to the public;

(ii) a governmental unit or person who engages in a business that directly employs individuals to provide part-time or temporary help to another governmental unit or person; and

(iii) a governmental unit or person who contracts directly with another governmental unit or person who engages in a business that directly employs individuals to provide part-time or temporary help to another governmental unit or person.

(e) ~~"FUND" MEANS THE WORKPLACE HAZARD ABATEMENT FUND.~~

5-204.

(a) (1) The proposed budget of the Division of Labor and Industry shall include an appropriation from the [General Fund of the State] WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION to cover the cost of administering this title.