

**Article - Business Occupations and Professions**

18-701.

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act, this title and all regulations adopted under this title shall terminate and be of no further force and effect after [September 30, 2004] JULY 1, 2016.

**Article - State Government**

8-403.

(a) On or before December 15 of the 2nd year before the evaluation date of a governmental activity or unit, the Legislative Policy Committee, based on a preliminary evaluation, may waive as unnecessary the evaluation required under this section.

(b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (a) of this section, on or before the evaluation date for the following governmental activities or units, an evaluation shall be made of the following governmental activities or units and the statutes and regulations that relate to the governmental activities or units:

(62) Security Systems Technicians, Licensing and Regulation of (§ 18-201 of the Business Occupations and Professions Article: July 1, [2003] 2015);

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2002.

Approved April 25, 2002.

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**CHAPTER 135****(Senate Bill 129)**

AN ACT concerning

**Electric Cooperatives**

FOR the purpose of revising, restating, and codifying the laws relating to electric cooperatives; requiring the name of an electric cooperative to be distinguishable on the records of the State Department of Assessments and Taxation ~~from the entity name of an entity organized or authorized to transact business in the State in accordance with a certain provision of law~~; providing that certain security instruments executed by electric cooperatives or certain foreign corporations are governed by certain provisions of law; providing for the continued validity of certain security instruments entered into or created before the effective date of this Act; providing for the effect, construction, and application of certain provisions of this Act; and generally relating to electric cooperatives.