certain report; providing for the election and term of a vice chair of the State Board; altering the powers and duties of the State Board; requiring certain memoranda of understanding to be executed by certain governing bodies of certain counties under certain circumstances; altering the membership of a local citizens review panel; providing for the term of a member of a local citizens review panel; requiring certain local panels to carry out certain case reviews: prohibiting members of certain local panels from receiving compensation; subjecting members of certain local panels to certain standards of confidentiality; establishing the goals of a local board of review for minor children in out-of-home care; requiring certain local boards to review certain children in out-of-home care in accordance with certain regulations adopted by the State Board and the Secretary; requiring certain regulations to provide for the frequency of certain reviews; requiring certain case review reports to include certain information; authorizing certain case reviews to include certain questions; making certain stylistic changes; altering a certain definition; defining a certain term; and generally relating to the case reviews and Out-of-Home Placement-Review-Boards State and local review boards.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

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Section 5–501, 5–537, 5–538, 5–539, 5–539.1, 5–539.2, 5–540, 5–541, 5–542, 5–543, 5–544, 5–545, and 5–547

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Section 5-535, 5-536, 5-539.3, and 5-546

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

Article - Family Law

5-501.

- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Administration" means the Social Services Administration of the Department.
- (d) "Day care provider" means the adult who has primary responsibility for the operation of a family day care home.