BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

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Section 7-301 and 7-306 7-101, 7-201, 7-206(a) and (c)(2), 7-301 through 7-306, 7-308(e), 7-308.1, 7-401, 7-402, 7-408, and 7-409

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Section 7-307

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

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<u>7–101.</u>

- (a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Apprentice" means an individual licensed by the Board who assists a licensed mortician OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR in the practice of mortuary science OR FUNERAL DIRECTION, under direct supervision of a licensed mortician OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR.
 - (c) "Apprentice sponsor" means a person who:
- (1) <u>Is a licensed mortician OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR practicing mortuary science as a licensed mortician OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR in Maryland at least 1 year immediately prior to accepting the applicant as an apprentice; and</u>
 - (2) <u>Provides direct supervision to an apprentice.</u>
- (d) "Board" means the Maryland State Board of Morticians AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS.
- (e) (1) "Corporation" means a mortuary science business whose articles of incorporation are in good standing with the Maryland State Department of Assessments and Taxation, or its successor, the initial business for which the license is issued must have been incorporated on or before June 1, 1945 and have "Incorporated", "Inc.", or "Corporation" in its name.