

annually to the General Assembly on the implementation of a certain action plan; ~~repealing the Cemetery Oversight Fund; requiring the Office to pay all money collected under the Maryland Cemetery Act into the General Fund of the State;~~ requiring the Director, on or before a certain date each year, to report to the General Assembly on the nature of certain complaints, the manner in which certain complaints are resolved, the number of complaints against certain persons, and any disciplinary or enforcement actions taken against certain persons; altering the scope of certain limitations on burial land; specifying that a certain certificate of ownership, under seal of certain persons, has the same effect as a certain conveyance of real property; ~~repealing an exemption for certain cemeteries from certain provisions of law relating to perpetual care requirements;~~ altering certain requirements relating to perpetual care; ~~requiring that any moneys remaining in the Cemetery Oversight Fund after a certain date revert to the General Fund of the State;~~ requiring the Office to provide status reports on the implementation of certain recommendations to certain committees of the General Assembly and the Department of Legislative Services on or before certain dates; requiring the Advisory Council on Cemetery Operations to study the issue of abandoned and neglected cemeteries in a certain manner and develop a legislative proposal; requiring the Director, in consultation with the Advisory Council, to study the issue of regulating the preconstruction sale of space in garden crypts and mausoleum crypts and develop a legislative proposal; defining a certain term; making certain conforming, clarifying, and technical changes; and generally relating to the Office of Cemetery Oversight and the operation of cemeteries and burial goods businesses in the State.

BY renumbering

Article – Business Regulation

Section 5–603, 5–605, 5–606, and 5–607, respectively
to be Section 5–604, 5–606, 5–607, and 5–608, respectively

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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Business Regulation

Section 5–102(a), 5–204, ~~5–205~~, 5–311, 5–501, 5–502, 5–504, 5–601, 5–602,
5–604, 5–608, and 5–1002

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BY adding to

Article – Business Regulation

Section 5–601

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