

~~(11) (12) ASSESS MECHANISMS TO FUND THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF SMART GROWTH INFRASTRUCTURE; AND~~

~~(13) EXAMINE THE CAPABILITY OF STATE AGENCIES TO COLLABORATIVELY PLAN AND COORDINATE FOR FUTURE GROWTH; AND~~

[(9)] ~~(14) (12) (13)~~ make recommendations to implement law or regulations that further best management practices as they relate to future growth and development in the State; AND

(14) SERVE AS AN ADVISORY BOARD TO THE GOVERNOR'S SMART GROWTH SUBCABINET, PROVIDING ADVICE AND GUIDANCE AT LEAST TWICE ANNUALLY THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010.

(g) ~~(1) On or before December 1, 2007, the Task Force shall report its PRELIMINARY findings and recommendations AND, ON ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 1, 2008, THE TASK FORCE SHALL REPORT ITS FINAL FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.~~

~~(2) THE TASK FORCE SHALL REPORT BOTH ITS PRELIMINARY AND FINAL FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS~~ to the Speaker of the House, the President of the Senate, the House Environmental Matters Committee, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee, and the Governor, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

Approved by the Governor, May 17, 2007.

CHAPTER 627

(House Bill 800)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Health Care Commission - Program Evaluation

FOR the purpose of repealing the requirement that the Maryland Health Care Commission may not act on any matter unless a certain number of voting members in attendance concur; providing that a decision of the Commission