## CHAPTER 299

(Senate Bill 338)

AN ACT concerning

## Youth Camps - Certification

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to issue a certain certificate for a youth camp; authorizing a fee for a certain youth camp certificate; providing a certain exception; defining a certain term; providing that certain agencies the Department may retain fees collected for certain youth camp certificates for payment into a special fund the General Fund of the State; providing that the principal and interest of the special fund shall be used to pay certain costs and expenses associated with certification of youth eamps; requiring applicants for a youth camp certificate to submit certain information and comply with certain regulations; requiring the Department to adopt certain regulations governing youth camps and youth camp certification in a certain manner; requiring the Department to obtain certain information from youth camps and local health officers; providing that the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene may accept certain alternate forms of camp accreditation; providing a certain penalty; and generally relating to certification of youth camps.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments.

Article - Health - General

Section 14-401, 14-402, 14-403, 14-407, and 14-408 and 14-403

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BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 14-404, 14-405, 14-406, 14-407, 14-408, 14-409, 14-410, and 14-411

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

## Article - Health - General

14-401.

- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Camper" means any child under 18 years of age who is attending a youth camp.