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**CHAPTER 152**

**(House Bill 100)**

AN ACT concerning

**Cemeteries - Exemption from Registration and Permitting**

FOR the purpose of exempting certain ~~cemeteries~~ persons from certain registration and permitting requirements of the Maryland Cemetery Act; and generally relating to cemeteries.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Business Regulation

Section 5-102(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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

**Article - Business Regulation**

5-102.

(a) The registration and permitting provisions of this title do not apply to:

(1) a person that owns and operates a bona fide religious, nonprofit cemetery in this State and does not sell preneed goods; OR

(2) A NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANIZATION CREATED BEFORE 1900 BY AN ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1998.

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**CHAPTER 153**

**(Senate Bill 154)**

AN ACT concerning

**Baltimore City - Alcoholic Beverages - Licensing Restrictions**

FOR the purpose of requiring a restaurant located within a certain area of Baltimore