Chapter 288

(Senate Bill 293)

AN ACT concerning

Elevator Safety Review Board and Division of Labor and Industry – Sunset Extension and Program Evaluation

FOR the purpose of continuing the Elevator Safety Review Board in accordance with the provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act (sunset law) by extending to a certain date the termination provisions relating to the statutory and regulatory authority of the Board; requiring that an evaluation of the Board and the statutes and regulations that govern the Board be performed on or before a certain date; repealing certain termination provisions that apply to the regulation of mediation or arbitration of labor disputes, choice of bargaining representative, and strikebreakers; providing for the effective date of this Act; and generally relating to the Elevator Safety Review Board and the Division of Labor and Industry.

BY repealing

Article – Labor and Employment Section 4–405 Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Public Safety Section 12–842 Annotated Code of Maryland (2011 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, Article – State Government Section 8–403(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (2009 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – State Government Section 8–403(b)(16) Annotated Code of Maryland (2009 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Labor and Employment

[4-405.

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act, Subtitles 1 and 2 of this title and § 4–403 of this subtitle shall terminate and be of no effect after July 1, 2014.]

Article – Public Safety

12 - 842.

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act, the provisions of this title that create or relate to the Board and any regulations adopted by the Board shall terminate and be of no effect after July 1, [2014] **2019**.

Article – State Government

8-403.

(a) On or before December 15 of the evaluation year specified, the Department shall:

(1) conduct a preliminary evaluation of each governmental activity or unit to be evaluated under this section; and

(2) prepare a report on each preliminary evaluation conducted.

(b) Each of the following governmental activities or units and the statutes and regulations that relate to the governmental activities or units are subject to preliminary evaluation in the evaluation year specified:

(16) Elevator Safety Review Board (§§ 12–819 through 12–841 of the Public Safety Article: [2011] **2016**);

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 30, 2014.

Approved by the Governor, May 5, 2014.