

HOUSE BILL 100

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1998 Regular Session
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By: **Delegate Harrison**

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Cemeteries - Exemption from Registration and Permitting**

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

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7 Article - Business Regulation
8 Section 5-102(a)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (1992 Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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

13 **Article - Business Regulation**

14 5-102.

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

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

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

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