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P1 1lr1330 By: Senator Jimeno Introduced and read first time: February 2, 2001 Assigned to: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee Report: Favorable Senate action: Adopted Read second time: March 8, 2001 CHAPTER 1 AN ACT concerning 2 Advisory Council to the Center for the Study of the Health Effects of Fire 3 FOR the purpose of repealing the requirement that the appointments of members of the Advisory Council to the Center for the Study of the Health Effects of Fire are 4 5 subject to the advice and consent of the Senate of Maryland; and providing for the effective date of this Act. 6 7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, 8 Article - Health - General 9 Section 18-707 10 Annotated Code of Maryland (2000 Replacement Volume) 11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 12 13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 14 **Article - Health - General** 15 18-707. The Advisory Council consists of 7 members. 16 (a) (1) 17 The Secretary shall appoint the members [with the advice and 18 consent of the Senate, from a list submitted to the Secretary by:

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20 expertise in this area;

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1				2.	The Chief Medical Examiner; and	
2				3.	The Secretary of the Department of the Environment.	
3	vacancies.		(ii)	The nun	nber of names on the list shall be 3 times the number of	
5 6	(b) Each member shall be an individual with demonstrated scientific and technical expertise in the field of toxicology, epidemiology, or occupational medicine.					
7	(c)	(1) The term of a member is 5 years.				
8 9	The terms of members are staggered as required by the terms provided for members of the Council on July 1, 1988.					
10 11		(3) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.				
12 13	(4) A member who is appointed after a term has begun serves only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed and qualifies.					
14	(d) The Secretary may remove a member for incompetence or misconduct.					
15 16	5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 6 June 1, 2001.					