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CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2                                   **Licensing and Regulation of Security Systems Technicians - Sunset**  
3                                   **Extension and Program Evaluation**

4 FOR the purpose of continuing the licensing and regulation of security systems  
5 technicians in accordance with the provisions of the Maryland Program  
6 Evaluation Act (Sunset Law) by extending to a certain date the termination  
7 provisions relating to the statutory and regulatory authority of the Secretary of  
8 the State Police to license and regulate security systems technicians; and  
9 requiring that an evaluation of the licensing and regulation of security systems  
10 technicians and the statutes and regulations that relate to the licensing and  
11 regulation of security systems technicians be performed on or before a certain  
12 date.

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
14 Article - Business Occupations and Professions  
15 Section 18-701  
16 Annotated Code of Maryland  
17 (2000 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

18 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
19 Article - State Government  
20 Section 8-403(a)  
21 Annotated Code of Maryland  
22 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

23 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
24 Article - State Government

1 Section 8-403(b)(62)  
2 Annotated Code of Maryland  
3 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

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

6 **Article - Business Occupations and Professions**

7 18-701.

8 Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland  
9 Program Evaluation Act, this title and all regulations adopted under this title shall  
10 terminate and be of no further force and effect after [September 30, 2004] JULY 1,  
11 2016.

12 **Article - State Government**

13 8-403.

14 (a) On or before December 15 of the 2nd year before the evaluation date of a  
15 governmental activity or unit, the Legislative Policy Committee, based on a  
16 preliminary evaluation, may waive as unnecessary the evaluation required under this  
17 section.

18 (b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (a) of this section, on or before  
19 the evaluation date for the following governmental activities or units, an evaluation  
20 shall be made of the following governmental activities or units and the statutes and  
21 regulations that relate to the governmental activities or units:

22 (62) Security Systems Technicians, Licensing and Regulation of (§ 18-201  
23 of the Business Occupations and Professions Article: July 1, [2003] 2015);

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
25 October 1, 2002.