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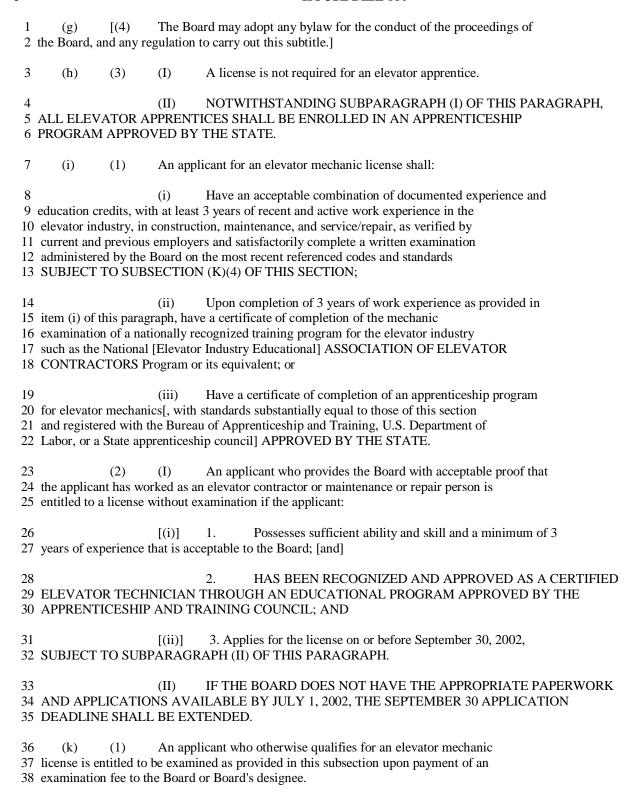
A BILL ENTITLED

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- 2 Elevator Safety Composition and Duties of Review Board Licensing of Elevator Mechanics
- 4 FOR the purpose of altering the composition of the Elevator Safety Review Board;
- 5 prohibiting the chairman of the Board from representing organized labor or
- 6 having a certain affiliation; repealing the authority of the Board to adopt certain
- bylaws and certain regulations; requiring elevator apprentices to be enrolled in
- 8 a certain apprenticeship program; altering the requirements for applicants for
- 9 elevator mechanic licenses; altering the requirements for applicants for elevator
- mechanic licenses without examination; altering a certain deadline for applying
- for an elevator mechanic license without examination subject to a certain
- 12 condition; requiring the Board to provide a certain study guide; and generally
- relating to elevator safety and the licensing of elevator mechanics.
- 14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 15 Article 89 Miscellaneous Business, Work, and Safety Provisions
- Section 49C(a)(3), (c)(1) and (2), (d), (h)(3), (i)(1) and (2), and (k)
- 17 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 18 (1998 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)
- 19 BY repealing
- 20 Article 89 Miscellaneous Business, Work, and Safety Provisions
- Section 49C(g)(4)
- 22 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 23 (1998 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)
- 24 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 25 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

1 Article 89 - Miscellaneous Business, Work, and Safety Provisions 2 49C. 3 (a) [(i)] "Elevator apprentice" means a person who [works under the (3) direct supervision of a licensed elevator mechanic] IS REGISTERED WITH A MARYLAND APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM AND WHO WORKS UNDER THE 6 DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED ELEVATOR MECHANIC. 7 "Elevator apprentice" includes a person commonly known as an (ii) 8 elevator helper while working under the direct supervision of a licensed elevator mechanic.] 10 (c) (1) The Board shall consist of [nine] ELEVEN members. 11 (2) Of the [nine] ELEVEN members of the Board: 12 One shall be the Commissioner of Labor and Industry or 13 designee of the Commissioner, as an ex officio member; 14 One shall represent a major elevator manufacturing company (ii) 15 or its authorized representative; 16 (iii) One shall represent an elevator servicing company; 17 (iv) One shall represent the architectural design profession; 18 One shall represent a municipal corporation in the State; (v) 19 (vi) One shall represent a building owner or manager; 20 One shall represent labor involved in the installation, (vii) 21 maintenance, and repair of elevators; [and] 22 (VIII) ONE SHALL REPRESENT INDEPENDENT MERIT BASED LABOR; 23 (IX) ONE SHALL REPRESENT MERIT BASED LABOR INVOLVED IN 24 THE INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF ELEVATORS; AND 25 (X) [(viii)] Two shall be members of the general public. 26 (d) (1) From among the Board members, the Governor shall appoint a 27 chairman. 28 (2) The chairman shall be the deciding vote in the event of a tie vote. 29 THE CHAIRMAN MAY NOT BE A REPRESENTATIVE OF ORGANIZED (3)30 LABOR OR HAVE AFFILIATION WITH A TRADE UNION, INCLUDING ANY SIGNATORY 31 AGREEMENT THAT MAY CREATE BIAS.

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2	` /	es and places that the Board determines.			
3	(3) The place of examination.	Board shall	give each qualified applicant notice of the time and		
5 6			HALL PROVIDE A STUDY GUIDE FOR THE EXAMINATION E EXAMINATION TO ALLOW FOR REVIEW.		
7 8	[(4)] (5) score for examinations give		pard shall determine the fee, content, scope, and passing s subsection.		
9 10	[(5)] (6) examinations required und	` '	The Board may use a testing service to administer the ection.		
11 12	(ii) testing service, subject to i		Board uses a testing service under this subsection, the s set by the Board, may:		
13		1.	Set the times and places of the examinations;		
14 15	the applicants; and	2.	Provide notice of the times and places of examinations to		
16 17	the testing service to provi	3. de.	Provide any other information that the Board may require		
18 19	8 [(6)] (7) The Board or a designee of the Board shall provide to the 9 applicant notice of the applicant's examination result.				
20 21	SECTION 2. AND BE June 1, 2002.	E IT FURTH	HER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect		