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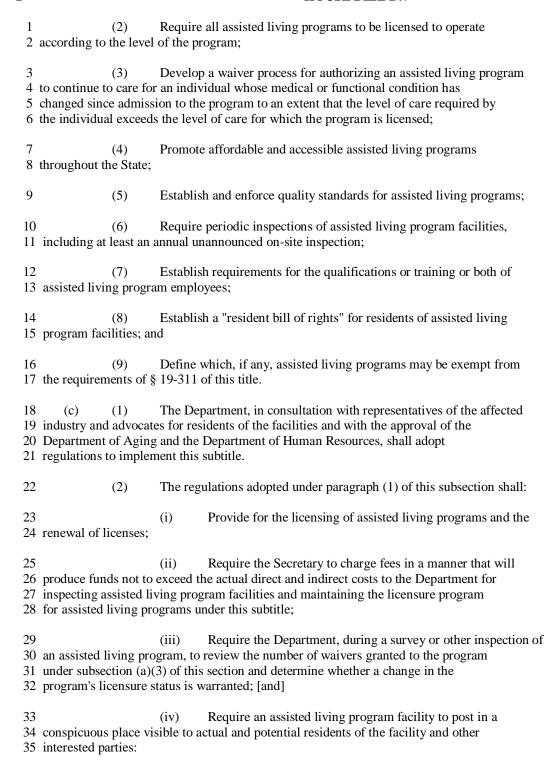
A BILL ENTITLED

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2 Assisted Living Programs - Emergency Back-Up Generator

- 3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to adopt
- 4 regulations that require certain assisted living programs to have a certain
- 5 emergency back-up generator on the premises; providing for the effective date of
- 6 this Act; and generally relating to assisted living programs and emergency
- 7 back-up generators.
- 8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
- 9 Article Health General
- 10 Section 19-1805(a)
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)
- 13 (As enacted by Chapter 195 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999)
- 14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 15 Article Health General
- 16 Section 19-1805(c)
- 17 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 18 (2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)
- 19 (As enacted by Chapter 195 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999)
- 20 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 21 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 22 Article Health General
- 23 19-1805.
- 24 (a) The Department shall:
- 25 (1) Define different levels of assisted living according to the level of care

26 provided;



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| 1 2 | survey; | 1. | A. Its statement of deficiencies for the most recent |
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| 3 4 | federal, State, or local surveyor | B. rs; and | Any subsequent complaint investigations conducted by |
| 5 6 | or complaint investigation; or | C. | Any plans of correction in effect with respect to the survey |
| 7 8 | listed in item 1 of this item; Al | 2. ND | A notice of the location, within the facility, of the items |
| 9 10 11 | | RE INDIV | RE AN ASSISTED LIVING PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES /IDUALS TO HAVE ON THE PREMISES AN OR THAT IS IN WORKING CONDITION. |

- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take 12
- 13 effect October 1, 2004, the effective date of Chapter 195 of the Acts of the General 14 Assembly of 1999. If the effective date of Chapter 195 is amended, this Act shall take 15 effect on the taking effect of Chapter 195.