

BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 197

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Practice of Law" and substitute "Attorneys-at-Law"; in line 3, after the first "of" insert "providing that a judge of the Orphans' Court in Baltimore County who is also an attorney-at-law shall have full power to do any act that the court is authorized by law to perform, including the power to hold court under certain circumstances;"; in line 5, strike "and the practice of law"; and in line 8, after "Section" insert "2-106 (f) and".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 13, insert:

"2-106.

(f) (1) The sessions of the Court in Baltimore County shall continue from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., if necessary for the transaction of the business of the Court.

(2) A JUDGE OF THE ORPHANS' COURT IN BALTIMORE COUNTY WHO IS ALSO AN ATTORNEY-AT-LAW HAS FULL POWER TO DO ANY ACT THAT THE COURT IS AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO PERFORM, INCLUDING THE POWER TO HOLD COURT ON A DAY NOT NAMED IN AN ADJOURNMENT."