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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2                           **Corporations and Associations - Notice of Change of Resident Agent - Filing**  
3                           **Fees**

4 FOR the purpose of altering the nonrefundable fee that the Department of  
5 Assessments and Taxation must collect to process a notice of change of the name  
6 or address of a resident agent; establishing a certain maximum fee for a bulk  
7 filing of notices of changes of the names or addresses of resident agents; and  
8 generally relating to fees collected by the Department of Assessments and  
9 Taxation.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
11 Article - Corporations and Associations  
12 Section 1-203(a)  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
16 Article - Corporations and Associations  
17 Section 1-203(b)(2)  
18 Annotated Code of Maryland  
19 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

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

22                           **Article - Corporations and Associations**

23 1-203.

24 (a) In addition to any organization and capitalization fee required under §  
25 1-204 of this article, subject to subsection (c) of this section, the Department shall  
26 collect the fees specified in subsection (b) of this section.

27 (b) (2) For each of the following documents, the nonrefundable processing  
28 fee is [\$25] AS INDICATED:

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1 (i) Notice of change of address of principal office[;] ..... \$25

2 (ii) Notice of change of name or address of resident agent[;] ..... \$25, UP

3 ..... TO A MAXIMUM OF \$10,000 FOR A BULK FILING

4 (iii) Certificate of correction[; and] ..... \$25

5 (iv) Any other documents[.] ..... \$25

6 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
7 October 1, 2005.