

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 236
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “assist” in line 17 down through “Department” in line 18 and substitute “provide certain information to certain registrants”; and in line 22, after “terms;” insert “requiring the Department to consult with certain stakeholders in implementing an Advance Directives Registry; making this Act subject to a certain contingency;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, strike beginning with “ASSIST” in line 10 down through “NOTIFYING” in line 11 and substitute “PROVIDE THE REGISTRANT WITH INFORMATION ON HOW TO NOTIFY”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, in line 6, after “FOR” insert “:

(1)”;

and in line 7, after “REGISTRY” insert “; OR

(2) RELYING ON INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE REGISTRY”;

after line 27, insert:

“SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, in consultation with stakeholders that include the Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities, the Maryland State Police, the Maryland Emergency Institute for Emergency Management Services Systems, the Motor Vehicle Administration, and other interested parties, shall adopt regulations to implement an Advance Directives Registry including education and outreach

(Over)

programs.”;

and in line 28, strike “3.” and substitute “4.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, in line 29, after “2007” insert “, contingent on the taking effect of Chapter _____ (S.B. 369) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2006, and if Chapter _____ does not become effective, this Act shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly”.