# Chapter 198

# (Senate Bill 347)

### AN ACT concerning

### **State Athletic Commission – Sunset Extension**

FOR the purpose of continuing the State Athletic Commission in accordance with the provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act (sunset law) by extending to a certain date the termination provisions relating to the statutory and regulatory authority of the Commission; requiring that an evaluation of the Commission and the statutes and regulations that relate to the Commission be performed on or before a certain date; and generally relating to the State Athletic Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Business Regulation Section 4–208 Annotated Code of Maryland (2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – State Government Section 8–403(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (2014 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – State Government Section 8–403(b)(5) Annotated Code of Maryland (2014 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

## Article – Business Regulation

#### 4 - 208.

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act, this subtitle and Subtitle 3 of this title and all regulations adopted under this subtitle and Subtitle 3 of this title shall terminate on July 1, [2021] **2031**.

### Article - State Government

8 - 403.

(a) On or before December 15 of the evaluation year specified, the Department shall:

(1) conduct a preliminary evaluation of each governmental activity or unit to be evaluated under this section; and

(2) prepare a report on each preliminary evaluation conducted.

(b) Each of the following governmental activities or units and the statutes and regulations that relate to the governmental activities or units are subject to preliminary evaluation in the evaluation year specified:

(5) Athletic Commission, State (§ 4–201 of the Business Regulation Article:[2018] 2028);

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2019.

Approved by the Governor, April 18, 2019.