# **SENATE BILL 773**

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#### By: **Senator Waldstreicher** Introduced and read first time: February 1, 2024 Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

# A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

### 2 Homeowners Associations – Restriction on Long–Term Rentals – Prohibition

- FOR the purpose of prohibiting the governing documents of a homeowners association from
  restricting or prohibiting long-term rentals; and generally relating to homeowners
  associations and long-term rentals.
- 6 BY adding to
- 7 Article Real Property
- 8 Section 11B–111.11
- 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 10 (2023 Replacement Volume)
- SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
  That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
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# Article – Real Property

14 **11B–111.11.** 

# 15 (A) IN THIS SECTION, "LONG–TERM RENTAL" MEANS THE LEASING BY A LOT 16 OWNER OF THE LOT OWNER'S PROPERTY FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS OR MORE.

17 **(B)** A RECORDED COVENANT OR RESTRICTION, A PROVISION IN A 18 DECLARATION, OR A PROVISION IN THE BYLAWS OR RULES OF A HOMEOWNERS 19 ASSOCIATION MAY NOT RESTRICT OR PROHIBIT LONG-TERM RENTALS.

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 21 October 1, 2024.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

