

SENATE BILL 236

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CF HB 210

By: **The President (By Request – Department of Legislative Services)**

Introduced and read first time: January 18, 2013

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

Committee Report: Favorable

Senate action: Adopted

Read second time: February 12, 2013

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State Board of Foresters – Sunset Extension and Program Evaluation**

3 FOR the purpose of continuing the State Board of Foresters in accordance with the
4 provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act (Sunset Law) by extending
5 to a certain date the termination provisions relating to the statutory and
6 regulatory authority of the Board; requiring that an evaluation of the Board and
7 the statutes and regulations that relate to the Board be performed on or before
8 a certain date; and generally relating to the State Board of Foresters.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article – Business Occupations and Professions
11 Section 7–602
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2010 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
15 Article – State Government
16 Section 8–403(a)
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

19 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
20 Article – State Government
21 Section 8–403(b)(24)
22 Annotated Code of Maryland

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

4 **Article – Business Occupations and Professions**

5 7–602.

6 Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Maryland
7 Program Evaluation Act, this title and all regulations adopted under this title shall
8 terminate and be of no effect after July 1, [2015] **2025**.

9 **Article – State Government**

10 8–403.

11 (a) On or before December 15 of the 2nd year before the evaluation date of a
12 governmental activity or unit, the Legislative Policy Committee, based on a
13 preliminary evaluation, may waive as unnecessary the evaluation required under this
14 section.

15 (b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (a) of this section, on or before
16 the evaluation date for the following governmental activities or units, an evaluation
17 shall be made of the following governmental activities or units and the statutes and
18 regulations that relate to the governmental activities or units:

19 (24) Foresters, State Board of (§ 7–201 of the Business Occupations and
20 Professions Article: July 1, [2014] **2024**);

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
22 October 1, 2013.

Approved:

Governor.

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.