

SENATE BILL 379

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Introduced and read first time: January 25, 2013

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Regulations – Prohibition on Proposal and Adoption – Substantially Same**
3 **Content as Failed Bill**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting a unit in the Executive Branch of State government
5 from proposing or adopting a regulation under certain circumstances; and
6 generally relating to proposal and adoption of regulations.

7 BY adding to

8 Article – State Government

9 Section 10–109.1

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – State Government**

15 **10–109.1.**

16 **NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, A UNIT MAY NOT**
17 **PROPOSE OR ADOPT A REGULATION IF THE REGULATION HAS SUBSTANTIALLY**
18 **THE SAME CONTENT AS A BILL THAT FAILED TO PASS EITHER HOUSE OF THE**
19 **GENERAL ASSEMBLY.**

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

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

