

# HOUSE BILL 1272

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EMERGENCY BILL

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By: **Delegates Bagnall and Rosenberg**

Introduced and read first time: February 23, 2023

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Insurance Commissioner Enforcement – Specialty Mental Health**  
3 **Services and Payment of Claims – Sunset Extension**

4 FOR the purpose of extending the termination date for certain provisions of law relating to  
5 Maryland Insurance Commissioner enforcement duties regarding administrative  
6 services organizations that administer a certain delivery system for specialty mental  
7 health services; and generally relating to enforcement duties of the Maryland  
8 Insurance Commissioner.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Chapter 151 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021  
11 Section 3

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Chapter 152 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021  
14 Section 3

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

17 **Chapter 151 of the Acts of 2021**

18 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency  
19 measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has  
20 been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to  
21 each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is  
22 enacted. It shall remain effective for a period of [2] 4 years from the date it is enacted and,  
23 at the end of the [2-year] 4-YEAR period, this Act, with no further action required by the  
24 General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **Chapter 152 of the Acts of 2021**

2 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency  
3 measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has  
4 been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to  
5 each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is  
6 enacted. It shall remain effective for a period of [2] 4 years from the date it is enacted and,  
7 at the end of the [2-year] 4-YEAR period, this Act, with no further action required by the  
8 General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

9 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency  
10 measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has  
11 been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to  
12 each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is  
13 enacted.