HOUSE BILL 1278

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By: Delegate Kelly

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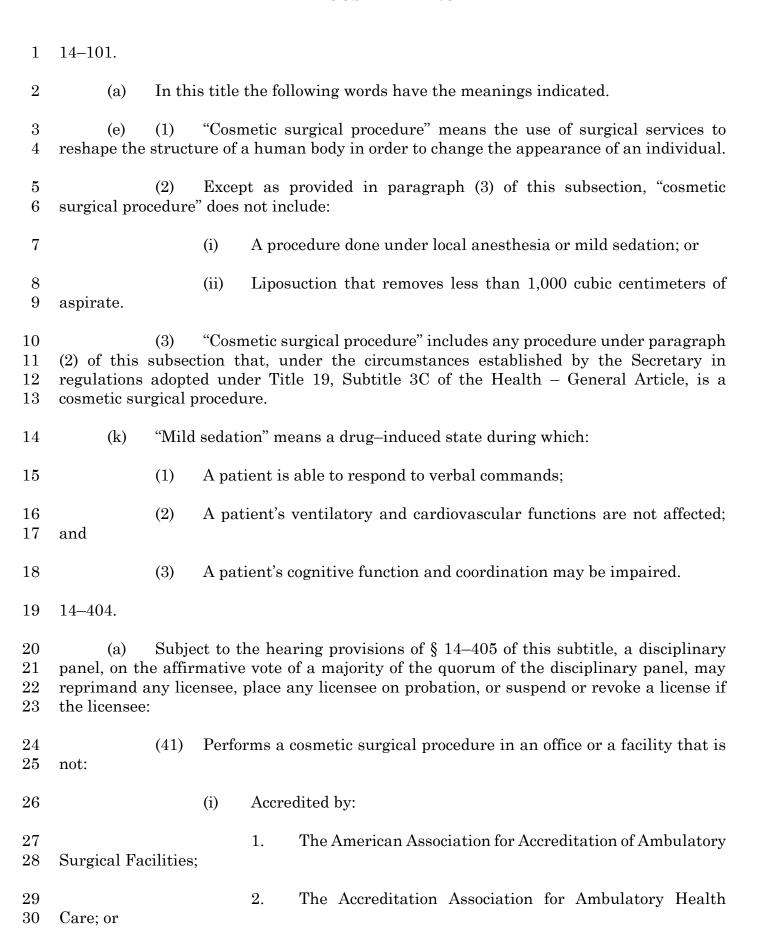
A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN ACT concerning
2 3	State Board of Physicians – Offices or Facilities for Performing Surgical Procedures
4	FOR the purpose of authorizing the State Board of Physicians to discipline certain licensees
5	who perform certain surgical procedures in offices or facilities that are not accredited
6	by certain associations or organizations or certified to participate in a certain
7 8	program; making a stylistic change; and generally relating to the State Board of Physicians and offices or facilities for performing surgical procedures.
9	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
10	Article – Health Occupations
11	Section 14–101(a), (e), and (k)
12	Annotated Code of Maryland
13	(2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)
14	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
15	Article – Health Occupations
16	Section 14–404(a)(41) and (42)
17	Annotated Code of Maryland
18	(2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)
19	BY adding to
20	Article – Health Occupations
21	Section 14–404(a)(43)
22	Annotated Code of Maryland
23	(2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)
24	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
25	That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health Occupations

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1 2	3. The Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations; or
3 4	(ii) Certified to participate in the Medicare program; [, as enacted by Title XVIII of the Social Security Act; or]
5 6	(42) Fails to submit to a criminal history records check under \S 14–308.1 of this title; OR
7 8 9	(43) PERFORMS AND DOES NOT HAVE HOSPITAL PRIVILEGES TO PERFORM A BREAST AUGMENTATION, A BREAST LIFT, A BREAST REDUCTION, AN ABDOMINOPLASTY, OR A FACELIFT IN AN OFFICE OR FACILITY THAT IS NOT:
0	(I) ACCREDITED BY:
$\frac{1}{2}$	1. THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR ACCREDITATION OF AMBULATORY SURGICAL FACILITIES;
13 14	2. THE ACCREDITATION ASSOCIATION FOR AMBULATORY HEALTH CARE; OR
15 16	3. THE JOINT COMMISSION ON THE ACCREDITATION OF HEALTHCARE ORGANIZATIONS; OR
17	(II) CERTIFIED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEDICARE PROGRAM.
18 19	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2016.