

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved May 7, 1968.

CHAPTER 530  
(Senate Bill 269)

~~AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 29 and 32 (a) of Article 89 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Department of Labor and Industry," subtitle "Occupational Safety," to include sanitation in places of employment as a responsibility of the employer and to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations for prevention of occupational diseases in places of employment.~~

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT, WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTIONS 29, 31 (A), AND 32 (A) OF ARTICLE 89 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1964 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), TITLE "DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY," SUBTITLE "OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY," TO INCLUDE ~~HEALTH~~ SANITARY CONDITIONS IN PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT AS A RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EMPLOYER; TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD; TO ADD TWO MEMBERS TO THE BOARD REPRESENTING THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT, QUALIFICATIONS, AND TENURE OF THE ADDITIONAL BOARD MEMBERS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION OF UNHEALTHY ENVIRONMENTS IN PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 29, 31 (A) and 32 (a) of Article 89 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Department of Labor and Industry," subtitle "Occupational Safety," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

29.

Every employer shall furnish and maintain employment and a place of employment which shall be reasonably safe ~~and sanitary~~ ~~HEALTHFUL~~ SANITARY for employees. Every employer shall install, maintain and use such methods, processes, devices and safeguards, as are reasonably necessary to protect the ~~HEALTH~~, life and safety of such employees, and shall do every other thing reasonably necessary to render safe ~~and sanitary~~ ~~HEALTHFUL~~ SANITARY such employment and place of employment.

31.

(A) THERE IS HEREBY CREATED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY AN OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "THE BOARD") CONSISTING OF SEVEN