CHAPTER 570

(Senate Bill 811)

AN ACT concerning

Juvenile Services Administration - Advisory Board

FOR the purpose of expanding the-membership-and certain responsibilities of the Advisory Board of Juvenile Services Administration and clarifying generally the duties of the Board; and making certain stylistic changes.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 52A - Juvenile Services Section 3 Annotated Code of Maryland (1979 Replacement Volume and 1980 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 52A - Juvenile Services

3.

(a) An Advisory Board of Juvenile Services is created and established to be attached to the State [Department of] Juvenile Services ADMINISTRATION. The Board consists of twelve (12) persons to be appointed by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene for overlapping three-year terms, with four (4) members of the first Advisory Board to be appointed for three (3) years from July 1, 1966; four (4) for two (2) years from July 1, 1966; and four (4) for one (1) year from July 1, 1966. Thereafter, all members of the Board shall be appointed by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene for terms of three years. Members of the Advisory Board of Juvenile Services shall be representative of the State Department of Education (1), the State Department of Health (1), the State Department of Mental Hygiene (1), the Department of Maryland State Police (1), the State Department of Social Services (1), the judiciary of the State (3), voluntary child welfare agencies (1), and three (3) members of the public at large who shall be selected on the basis of their experience and interest in minors and juvenile problems. Any member who has served two consecutive terms on the Advisory Board of Juvenile Services is ineligible to succeed himself for the term immediately following the second of the two terms. In case of a vacancy the Board for any reason, the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene shall appoint a member for the remainder of the unexpired term in the same manner as he appointed the original member.