

due and until paid in full. The principal shall be discharged within 15 years after the date of issue of the bonds.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1990.

Approved May 29, 1990.

CHAPTER 480

(Senate Bill 584)

AN ACT concerning

Public Health – Medical Records – Confidentiality

FOR the purpose of providing for the confidentiality of medical records; authorizing disclosure of certain medical records under certain circumstances; requiring disclosure of certain medical records under certain circumstances; requiring a health care provider to establish certain procedures for the addition to or correction of a medical record; authorizing a health care provider to require certain persons to make certain payments; repealing a certain provision on disclosure of medical records of individuals in certain facilities; defining certain terms; providing certain exceptions; providing certain immunity under certain circumstances; providing for certain liability under certain circumstances; establishing certain penalties; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the confidentiality of medical records.

BY renumbering

Article – Health – General

Section 4–303, 4–304, and 4–305, and the subtitle “Subtitle 3. Personal Medical Records”, respectively

to be Section 4–401, 4–402, and 4–403 and the subtitle “Subtitle 4. Personal Medical Records”, respectively

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BY repealing

Article – Health – General

Section 4–301, 4–302, and 10–713(c)

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BY adding to

Article – Health – General