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(A) THE COMMISSIONER MAY EMPLOY A STAFF IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATE BUDGET TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSES OF THE PROGRAM.

(B) THE COMMISSIONER MAY DESIGNATE A MEMBER OF THE STAFF TO REPRESENT THE INTERESTS OF INSURANCE CONSUMERS IN ANY DIVISION PROCEEDING THAT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, INCLUDING ANY INFORMATIONAL HEARING OR ANY HEARING OR REVIEW OF INSURANCE RATES AND FORMS.

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

Approved May 29, 1990.

CHAPTER 510

(Senate Bill 822)

AN ACT concerning

911 Emergency Telephone System

FOR the purpose of requiring that all counties of the State have an enhanced 911 system by a certain date; changing the composition of the Emergency Number Systems Board; setting forth certain duties of the Emergency Number Systems Board; authorizing the Board to instruct the Comptroller to withhold certain funds provided to a county under certain circumstances; specifying certain procedures to be used when the Board instructs the Comptroller to withhold certain funds; specifying that certain information be included in the annual report of the Board; requiring the counties to prepare and submit 911 system enhancement plans; specifying the contents of certain 911 system enhancement plans; altering the purpose of and procedures for administering the 911 Trust Fund; requiring that certain reimbursements to the counties be used for certain purposes; providing an exception to certain limitations on expenditures by the counties; making certain stylistic changes; defining certain terms; *providing for a delayed effective date*; and generally relating to the implementation and operation of the 911 Emergency Telephone System.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 41 – Governor – Executive and Administrative Departments

Section 18-101 through 18-105, 18-107, and 18-108

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1986 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)

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