

(2) ~~In (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, IN~~ ANNE ARUNDEL, Baltimore, Carroll, Cecil, Harford, Montgomery, and Prince George's Counties, a person may not use, sell, possess, set, place, or maintain a snare trap.

(II) IN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, FROM JULY 1, 1990 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1992, A PERSON MAY SELL OR POSSESS A SNARE TRAP.

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

Approved May 29, 1990.

CHAPTER 542
(House Bill 179)

AN ACT concerning

Insurance – Filing of Underwriting Guidelines

FOR the purpose of requiring certain insurers to file their underwriting guidelines, including supplements and amendments, ~~with~~ at the request of the Insurance Commissioner; specifying that an insurer may request that certain underwriting standards be considered confidential by the Insurance Commissioner; providing for the termination of this Act; requiring the Commissioner to make the guidelines available to the public; requiring the Commissioner to examine the guidelines annually; requiring the Commissioner to summarize and abstract underwriting standards for health insurance, including certain exclusions or waivers; requiring the Commissioner to make a certain report and adopt regulations to enforce this Act; and generally relating to underwriting standards for insurers and requiring the Insurance Commissioner to adopt regulations to enforce this Act.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- Article 48A – Insurance Code
- Section 234A
- Annotated Code of Maryland
- (1986 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 48A – Insurance Code

234A.

(a) No insurer, agent or broker shall cancel or refuse to underwrite or renew a particular insurance risk or class of risk for any reason based in whole or in part upon race, color, creed, sex, or blindness of an applicant or policyholder or for any arbitrary,