

NONPROFIT HEALTH SERVICE PLAN THAT ISSUES A SUCCEEDING POLICY.

(B) (1) A SUCCEEDING INSURER SHALL PROVIDE AN EMPLOYER WITH A WRITTEN STATEMENT PRIOR TO ENTERING INTO THE GROUP CONTRACT:

(I) SETTING FORTH A DESCRIPTION OF ANY WAITING PERIODS FOR PREEXISTING CONDITIONS, EXCLUSIONS, OR SIMILAR POLICY PROVISIONS IN THE SUCCEEDING POLICY LIMITING OR EXCLUDING COVERAGE; AND

(II) IDENTIFYING ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO IS COVERED UNDER THE GROUP CONTRACT REPLACED OR SUCCEEDED BY THE SUCCEEDING POLICY BUT WHO IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FULL COVERAGE UNDER THE SUCCEEDING POLICY.

(2) THE STATEMENT REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE SUFFICIENTLY CLEAR AND SPECIFIC SO THAT THE STATEMENT MAY BE UNDERSTOOD BY A PERSON OF AVERAGE INTELLIGENCE WITHOUT MAKING FURTHER INQUIRY TO THE SUCCEEDING INSURER.

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, of the members initially appointed to the Maryland Small Business Group Health Insurance Board, 3 members shall serve 1 year terms, 3 members shall serve 2 year terms, and 4 members shall serve 3 year terms.~~

~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1990.~~

Approved May 29, 1990.

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CHAPTER 679

(House Bill 1318)

AN ACT concerning

**Vehicle Laws - Farm Truck Registration - Weight**

FOR the purpose of altering the maximum gross vehicle weight of a vehicle permitted to be registered as a farm truck.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 13-921(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1987 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)