

~~14-504(A)(21) OF THIS SUBTITLE OR ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION, FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW SHALL BE SUPPORTED BY A PREPONDERANCE OF THE EVIDENCE AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW.~~

~~(e) After performing any necessary hearing under this section, the hearing officer shall refer proposed factual findings AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW to the Board for the Board's disposition.~~

14-510.1.

(d) (1) The Board shall notify all hospitals, health maintenance organizations, or other health care facilities where a physician OR AN ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONAL REGULATED BY THE BOARD has privileges, has a provider contract with a health maintenance organization, or is employed of a complaint or report filed against that physician, if:

(i) [The complaint or report was made to the Board by another hospital, health maintenance organization, or health care facility or their official agent or representative;

(ii)] The Board determines, in its discretion, that the hospital, health maintenance organization, or health care facility should be informed about the report or complaint;

[(iii)] (II) The nature of the complaint suggests a reasonable possibility of an imminent threat to patient safety; or

[(iv)] (III) The complaint or report was as a result of a claim filed in the Health Claims Arbitration Office.

(k) This section does not apply to:

(1) Any disclosure of a record by the Board to any of its investigatory bodies; or

(2) A LICENSEE, CERTIFICATE HOLDER, OR REGISTRATION HOLDER WHO HAS BEEN CHARGED UNDER THIS TITLE OR A party to a proceeding before the Board who claims to be aggrieved by the decision of the Board.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 14-510.1(c) through (l), respectively, of Article - Health Occupations of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 14-510.1(d) through (m), respectively.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

#### **Article - Health Occupations**

14-317.1.

(A) THE BOARD MAY PLACE A LICENSEE ON INACTIVE STATUS, IF