

of Public Welfare shall be the head of said Department and it shall exercise all the powers bestowed by law upon the Department of Public Welfare.

5. The [State Department] Board of Public Welfare is hereby authorized and empowered to adopt from time to time, such rules and regulations, as may be necessary, to carry out any of the duties imposed upon it by law, and when adopted [and approved by the Board of Public Welfare], such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law. It shall likewise adopt rules and regulations covering the custody, use and preservation of the records, papers, files and communications of the State and local departments concerning applicants and recipients of assistance. The use of such records, papers, files and communications by any other agency or department of government to which they may be furnished shall be limited to the purposes for which they are furnished.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on June 1, 1953.

Approved April 11, 1953.

CHAPTER 519

(House Bill 560)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 743 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Boys' Village"; Section 746 of said Article and title, sub-title "Maryland Training School for Boys"; Section 747 of said Article and title, sub-title "Montrose School for Girls"; and Section 748 of said Article and title, sub-title "Barrett School for Girls", relating to the appointment and powers of the Boards of Managers of said institutions.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 743 of Article 27 of the Annotated

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.