

be dismissed and the Governor, upon the recommendation of the *Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene*, shall appoint as his successor some licensed chiropractor practicing in this State who shall be a graduate of a different school than those represented on the Board.

SEC. 20. *And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 556 (1), 564 and 567 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1965 Replacement Volume), title "Health," subtitle "Hospitals and Related Institutions," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, all to read as follows:

556.

(1) Board.—"Board" except as otherwise used in Sections 564 and 567, and except where inapplicable, shall mean the [State Board] *Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene*.

564.

An advisory board on hospital licensing of nine (9) members, each of whom shall hold office for a period of (5) years, shall be appointed by the [Governor] *Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene* to make recommendations to the [State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene] *Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene* on the issuance or denial of licenses, the establishment of minimum regulations, and applications for approval of construction involving conversions, alterations, or additions under the provisions of this subtitle and any amendments thereto. Three (3) members of said advisory board shall be appointed from a list of names submitted by the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland. One member of said advisory board shall be appointed from a list of names submitted by the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association. Four (4) members of said advisory board shall be appointed from a list of names submitted by the Hospital Council of Maryland, Inc., of which two (2) shall be administrators of Maryland hospitals, one (1) shall be a trustee of a Maryland hospital and at least one (1) of whom shall be a member of the ~~Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland engaged in the private practice of~~ the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland engaged in the private practice of medicine. One (1) member of the advisory board shall be a person who has been an owner or administrator of a licensed nursing home within the State of Maryland for a period of not less than three years immediately prior to the date of appointment and who shall be appointed from a list of names submitted by the Maryland Nursing Home Association, Inc. The members of the said advisory board who are in office on June 1, 1965 shall continue for the balance of the terms for which they were respectively appointed. All members of said advisory board shall be citizens and residents of the State of Maryland for a period of at least one year immediately prior to appointment; at least two (2) shall be residents of the City of Baltimore; at least two (2) shall be residents of the counties; and all members shall serve without compensation. Meetings of said advisory board may be called by the [State Board] *Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene* or by any three members of the advisory board on proper notice.