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(a) *The board of trustees of any community college or regional community college shall carry ~~public~~ COMPREHENSIVE liability insurance FOR PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS to protect the board, its agents and employees, and any agents and employees of any college under its jurisdiction. The policies shall contain a provision stopping the insurer from raising the defense of sovereign immunity. The purchase of the insurance shall be considered as an educational EDUCATIONAL purpose and as a valid educational expense.*

(b) *The State Board for Community Colleges shall adopt regulations setting up standards and guidelines for the policies, and the policies purchased under this section after the adoption of these regulations shall conform to the regulations.*

(C) *ANY OF THE ABOVE BOARDS OF EDUCATION SHALL BE CONSIDERED IN COMPLIANCE HEREIN IF THEY ARE SELF-INSURED UNDER RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE STATE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER. LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO ONE-HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000) FOR EACH OCCURRENCE INJURY. THE POLICY LIMITS FOR THIS INSURANCE SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF NOT EXCEED ONE-HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000).*

~~(e)~~ (D) *Nothing in this Act SECTION shall be construed as affecting the right of the various boards of trustees, on their own behalf, from raising the defense of sovereign immunity when the claim exceeds TO ANY AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF the limit of liability.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1971.*

Approved May 17, 1971.

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CHAPTER 550  
(House Bill 619)

AN ACT to add new Section 481B to Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "28. Casualty Insurance," to follow immediately after Section 481A thereof, prohibiting subrogation of medical payment claims under certain circumstances.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Section 481B be and it is hereby added to Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "28. Casualty Insurance," to follow immediately after Section 481A thereof, and to read as follows:*

*481B.*

*On and after July 1, 1971 JANUARY 1, 1972, no policy or contract of bodily injury liability insurance, or of property damage liability insurance which contains any representation by an insurance*