

1973, the Board of Trustees of the University of Baltimore by resolution regularly adopted, notifies the [Governor of Maryland] Board of Trustees of the State colleges of its general acquiescence of the purposes and provisions of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1973.

Approved May 24, 1973.

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CHAPTER 695

(Senate Bill 596)

AN ACT to add new Sections 809-816, inclusive, to Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Health," to follow immediately after Section 808 thereof, and to be under the new subtitle "Commission On Hereditary Disorders," to provide for the establishment of a Commission on Hereditary Disorders, and to repeal immediately Section 33A of the same Article, Code and title, subtitle "Miscellaneous Provisions," and Section 6A of Article 62 of the same Code (1972 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Marriages," which relate to sickle cell anemia, and to repeal Section 38A of Article 43 of said Code (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Health," subtitle "Miscellaneous Provisions," to be effective July 1, 1975.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Sections 809-816, inclusive, be and they are hereby added to Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Health," and to be under the new subtitle "Commission on Hereditary Disorders"; that Section 33A of the same Article, Code and title, subtitle "Miscellaneous Provisions," and Section 6A of Article 62 of the same Code (1972 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Marriages," be and they are hereby repealed immediately; and that Section 38A of Article 43 of said Code (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Health," subtitle "Miscellaneous Provisions," be and it is hereby repealed to be effective July 1, 1975, and all to read as follows:

COMMISSION ON HEREDITARY DISORDERS

809.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY HEREBY FINDS AND DECLARES:

(A) THAT EACH PERSON IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND IS ENTITLED TO THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF HEALTH CARE ATTAINABLE, AND TO PROTECTION FROM INADEQUATE HEALTH SERVICES NOT IN THE PERSON'S BEST INTEREST;

(B) THAT HEREDITARY DISORDERS ARE OFTEN COSTLY, TRAGIC, AND SOMETIMES DEADLY BURDENS TO THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF THE CITIZENS OF MARYLAND;