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Any child or children of permanently disabled or deceased volunteer (male or female) firemen OR VOLUNTEER RESCUE SQUADMEN, whose disability or death has been caused by an accident resulting from active participation in fighting a fire or while going to and from a fire, or performing any other duties necessary to the operation or maintenance of the fire company, or actively participating in the ambulance or rescue squad work of an incorporated volunteer fire company OR VOLUNTEER RESCUE SQUAD in the State [of Maryland], after having graduated from an accredited high school, may attend schools of higher education at the expense of the Maryland State Firemen's Association, which shall be at the discretion of the board of trustees of the Maryland State Firemen's Association.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 18, 1975.

Approved May 15, 1975.

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CHAPTER 571

(Senate Bill 274)

AN ACT concerning

Rescue Squadmen - Education

FOR the purpose of including certain benefits for Rescue Squadmen in certain programs; and clarifying language.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 77A - Higher Education

Section 40A

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 40A of Article 77A - Higher Education, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read