

## CHAPTER 404

(House Bill 659)

AN ACT concerning

## Podiatry

FOR the purpose of eliminating the requirement that the State Board of Podiatry Examiners report annually to the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland; authorizing the Board to require professional experience as a condition of licensure after a certain date; enabling the Board to issue temporary licenses under certain circumstances; modifying and clarifying provisions for issuance of licenses; changing the place of recordation of licenses; modifying and clarifying the disciplinary procedures of the Board and the conditions for such action; modifying the requirements for license renewal and providing penalties for late renewal and failure to renew; defining certain terms; and deleting certain obsolete provisions and generally clarifying the law relating to practice of podiatry and to the Board.

BY repealing

Article 43 - Health  
Section 486  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 43 - Health  
Section 481, 482(d), 483, 484, 485, 487 through  
493A, inclusive  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 486 of Article 43 - Health, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed:

Article 43 - Health

[486.

Every person who was engaged in the practice of podiatry in this State previous to January 1, 1916, shall file with the Board of Podiatry Examiners on or before the first day of August, 1916, a written application for a certificate to practice podiatry, together with proof satisfactory to the board that the applicant is not less