SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 29, 1977.

CHAPTER 218

(Senate Bill 852)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services

FOR the purpose of creating the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services within the University of Maryland at Baltimore; providing for a Director; transferring certain existing operations to the Institute; specifying the duties of the Director; requiring the cooperation of all State agencies and departments; and generally relating to a statewide system of emergency medical services.

BY adding to

27 AM.

Article 77A - Higher Education
Sections 27AM to 27AP, inclusive, to be under the
new subtitle "Maryland Institute for
Emergency Medical Services"
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1975 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Sections 27AM to 27AP, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services" be and they are hereby added to Article 77A — Higher Education, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1975 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 77A - Higher Education

MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

- (A) THE MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES IS CREATED AS AN INDEPENDENT UNIT WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE.
- (B) THE INSTITUTE IS HEADED BY A DIRECTOR APPOINTED BY THE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND AT BALTINGRE WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE COVERNOR ECARD OF