

Departments
 Section 256D and 256-0(a)
 Annotated Code of Maryland
 (1971 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 256D and 256-0(a) of Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative
 Departments

256D.

Any document required or permitted to be published in the Code of Maryland Regulations or Maryland Register shall be filed with the division of State documents. IF THE TEXT OF AN ADOPTED RULE IS THE SAME AS THE TEXT OF THE RULE AS PROPOSED, THE TEXT OF THE ADOPTED RULE NEED NOT BE FILED WITH THE DIVISION OF STATE DOCUMENTS, BUT A NOTICE THAT THE RULE HAS BEEN ADOPTED WITHOUT CHANGE SHALL BE FILED IN ITS PLACE. A REFERENCE TO THE DATE OF THE REGISTER CONTAINING THE PROPOSED RULE SHALL BE GIVEN. If a document has been forwarded to the Department of Legislative Reference prior to July 1, 1974, it need not be filed with the division of State documents, unless the administrator otherwise notifies the person responsible for filing the document.

256-0.

(a) The effective date of any rule is the issue date of the Register or permanent supplement in which notice of final adoption is published unless the [rule] DOCUMENT specifies a later date. The issue date of the Register or permanent supplement is the date of its deposit in the United States mail for distribution and shall be printed prominently on the first page of each issue.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved May 17, 1977.

 CHAPTER 610

(House Bill 1911)

AN ACT concerning