

right to refuse renewal on an individual basis, shall provide in substance in a provision thereof or in an endorsement thereon or rider attached thereto that subject to the right to terminate the policy upon nonpayment of premium when due, such right to refuse renewal may not be exercised so as to take effect before the renewal date occurring on, or after and nearest, each policy anniversary (or in the case of lapse and reinstatement, at the renewal date occurring on, or after and nearest, each anniversary of the last reinstatement), [and] that any refusal of renewal shall be without prejudice to any claim originating while the policy is in force[.] AND THAT ANY REFUSAL OF RENEWAL SHALL NOT BE SOLELY BECAUSE OF A CHANGE IN THE HEALTH OR IN THE PHYSICAL OR MENTAL CONDITION OF THE INSURED. (The parenthetic reference to lapse and reinstatement may be omitted at the insurer's option.)

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved May 2, 1978.

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CHAPTER 252

(Senate Bill 578)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City - Examining Engineers

FOR the purpose of making examination of certain steam plants by the Board of Examining Engineers discretionary; deleting the requirement that examinations be conducted on a semiannual basis; and providing that this Act is an emergency measure.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

The Public Local Laws of Baltimore City  
Section 4-4  
Article 4 - Public Local Laws of Maryland  
(1969 Edition and 1977 Supplement, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 4 - Baltimore City

4-4.

Said Board of Examining Engineers shall meet at its