(1971 Replacement Volume and 1977 Supplement)

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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 43 - Health

559.

(a) Any persons desiring a license to open a hospital or related institution or to continue the operation of an existing hospital or related institution shall file with the Board a verified application setting forth the name of the applicant desiring such license, stating that the applicant is not less than eighteen years of age and of reputable and responsible character, setting forth the class of hospital or related institution to be operated, the location thereof, the name of the person in charge thereof and such additional information as the Board may require. Applications on behalf of a corporation or association or a governmental unit or agency shall be made by any two officers thereof. ANY PERSON, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 556(K) OF THIS SUBTITLE, WHO HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A NURSING HOME OR MEDICAID RELATED FELONY, MAY NOT BE LICENSED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

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

Approved May 2, 1978.

CHAPTER 339

(House Bill 475)

AN ACT concerning

Wiretaps - Arson Felonies Punishable under the Subheading
"Arson and Burning" of Article 27

FOR the purpose of adding arson felonies punishable under the subheading "Arson and Burning" of Article 27 to the list of crimes with regard to the commission of which it is lawful for law enforcement officers to intercept wire or oral communications.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 10-402(c) Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1977 Supplement)