Services to the Handicapped within the Office of the Covernor is to remain in existence.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Chapter 946 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1977 Section  $2\,$ 

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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That chapter(s) of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Chapter 946 of the Acts of 1977

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977[. It shall remain effective for a period of two years], and at the end of June 30, 1980, and with nc further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

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

Approved May 16, 1978.

CHAPTER 575

(House Bill 64)

AN ACT concerning

Purchases from Minority Businesses

FOR the purpose of defining certain terms and requiring each directing certain State Department departments and entities to attempt to purchase a certain percent by dollar value of all certain goods and services either directly or indirectly from minority businesses and permitting a Department to include the value of subcontracts in this percentage requirement; requiring certain reports be made; providing for a suspension of these provisions; providing a termination date for these provisions; and generally relating thereto.

BY adding to

Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments Section 14F Annotated Code of Maryland