

CHAPTER 690

(Hcuse Bill 1389)

AN ACT concerning

Hospitals - Credit Cards

FOR the purpose of ~~authorizing~~ ~~requiring~~ authorizing hospitals operated by the municipal political subdivisions of Maryland to accept credit card payment of bills under certain conditions; and generally relating to credit card payment of bills.

BY adding to

Article 43 - Health
Section 556G
Annotated Code of Maryland
(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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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

556G.

ANY HOSPITAL OPERATED BY A MUNICIPAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE ~~MAY ACCEPT A CREDIT CARD PAYMENT~~ SHALL MAY ACCEPT A VALID CREDIT CARD AS PAYMENT FOR BILLS.

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

Approved May 16, 1978.

CHAPTER 691

(Hcuse Bill 1397)

AN ACT concerning

Mental Health Hospital Citizens' Advisory Boards

FOR the purpose of prescribing certain qualifications necessary for certain members of mental health facility citizens' advisory boards.