

(v) Willful neglect of duty.

~~IN-BALTIMORE-CITY-THE-SUSPENSION-AND--REMOVAL--OF--ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS--AND--HIGHER--LEVELS--SHALL--CONFORM--TO--THE PROVISIONS-OF-THE-CITY-CHARTER.~~

(2) Before removing an individual, the county board shall send the individual a copy of the charges against him and give him an opportunity within 10 days to request a hearing.

(3) If the individual requests a hearing within the 10 day period:

(i) The county board promptly shall hold a hearing, but a hearing may not be set within 10 days after the county board sends the individual a notice of the hearing; and

(ii) The individual shall have an opportunity to be heard before the county board, in person or by counsel, and to bring witnesses to the hearing.

(4) The individual may appeal from the decision of the county board to the State Board. THIS-PARAGRAPH-DOES NOT--APPLY--TO--BALTIMORE--CITY- IN BALTIMORE CITY, THIS PARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY TO THE SUSPENSION AND REMOVAL OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS AND HIGHER LEVELS.

(5) IN BALTIMORE CITY THE SUSPENSION AND REMOVAL OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS AND HIGHER LEVELS SHALL BE AS PROVIDED BY THE CITY CHARTER.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1979.

Approved May 14, 1979.

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CHAPTER 307

(House Bill 53)

AN ACT concerning

~~Spousal-Violence~~

~~FOR the--purpose--of establishing--an--emergency-procedure available-to-victims-of-spousal-violence--in--order--to inform---them---of---services---available,---provide transportation,--and--provide--protection--so--that--they--may return--safely--to--the--family--home--in--order--to--remove certain---necessary---personal---property,--establish--an emergency-procedure--for--the--protection--of--children~~