

EDUCATION OR , THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, OR, IN THE CASE OF HIGHER EDUCATION, TO THE MEMBER'S APPOINTING AUTHORITY, EMPLOYMENT WILL BE AUTHORIZED FOR 1 YEAR. FURTHER CONTINUATION OF EMPLOYMENT SHALL BE BASED ON THE EXECUTION OF THE APPROPRIATE APPLICATION FORM NOT LESS THAN 30 NOR MORE THAN 90 DAYS PRIOR TO THE COMPLETION OF EACH AUTHORIZED YEAR.

(III) IF THE WRITTEN APPLICATION BY THE MEMBER IS NOT APPROVED, UPON REQUEST, THE MEMBER SHALL BE GIVEN A FULL HEARING BEFORE THE MARYLAND EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT REVIEW BOARD PURSUANT TO SECTION 11(2) OF THIS ARTICLE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July June 1, 1980.

Approved May 6, 1980.

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CHAPTER 276

(House Bill 747)

AN ACT concerning

Nursing Homes - Patient's Bill of Rights

FOR the purpose of ~~establishing the right of a patient or resident personally or through other persons or in combination with others to take civil action to redress certain grievances and seek certain changes; and providing that certain persons may maintain a cause of action in law or equity without the prior exhaustion of administrative remedies for any type of relief permitted by law~~ providing that nursing home patients, residents, and certain other persons may file a complaint alleging a violation of certain provisions pertaining to the rights of patients in nursing homes; and providing for the investigation of these complaints, and a report to be made pertaining to the complaints, and granting the complainant the right to a hearing.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 43 - Health  
Section 565C(a)(15) (h)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

BY adding to