159E.

(a) The provisions in §§ 159, 159A, 159B, 159C and 159D shall be applicable to Baltimore, Calvert, Dorchester, Somerset, Wicomico Worcester, Charles, Garrett, Caroline, Cecil, Harford, Kent, Queen Anne's, St. Mary's, Talbot, Washington, Anne Arundel, [and] Frederick, AND CARROLL counties only.

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

Approved May 20, 1980.

## CHAPTER 678

(House Bill 1883)

AN ACT concerning

## Comprehensive Health Planning

FOR the purpose of conforming State law to the federal act entitled "National Health Planning and Resource Development Act of 1974" as amended in 1979; defining certain terms; generally relating to health maintenance organization and the requirement for a certificate of need; and modifying the provisions relating to certificate of need applications; and generally relating to the provisions dealing with State law regarding Comprehensive Health Planning.

## By renumbering

Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative
Departments
Section 59D(m), (n), and (o), respectively
to be Section 59D(q), (r), and (s), respectively
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1978 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative
Departments
Section 59C(b); 59D(d), (i), (j), and (1); 59J(b), (d),
and (e); and 59L(b) and (e)
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