

DEPARTMENT OR AN ORGANIZATION APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY. The Department may establish a service fee for those persons participating in a proficiency testing program conducted by the Department. If a physician fails to demonstrate satisfactory performance, the Department shall notify the Commission on Medical Discipline.

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

Approved April 22, 1980.

CHAPTER 166

(House Bill 542)

AN ACT concerning

Board of Dental Examiners - Dental Hygienist

FOR the purpose of changing the term of office of the dental hygienist on the Board of Dental Examiners to conform with the terms of the other members of the Board.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 32 - Dentistry
Section 2A
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 32 - Dentistry

2A.

In addition to the dentist members of the Board there shall be a dental hygienist member who may vote only on matters directly affecting dental hygienists. In those matters his vote shall count as fully as the vote of dentist members. The dental hygienist member shall be a registered and practicing hygienist, a resident of the State of Maryland, and shall have been in an active practice in the State for at least three years immediately preceding his appointment. No member of the faculty or teaching staff of any university or college in the State of Maryland which offers undergraduate courses in dental hygiene shall be eligible for appointment. The Governor, with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, shall appoint
