

the dental hygienist member from a list of three duly qualified hygienists to be filled, proposed and submitted to him by the Maryland Dental Hygienists' Association, and chosen by a majority vote of the members of the association present at a meeting of the association called for that purpose, of which meeting at least two weeks' notice, stating the time, place and purpose, shall be mailed by the Secretary to the members of the association at their respective addresses appearing in the records. The term for which the dental hygienist member of the Board is appointed shall be [four] 6 years, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified. No member who has served two full consecutive terms may be eligible to succeed himself. In case of a vacancy occurring in the dental hygienist position by reason of death, or incapacity, neglect or refusal to act, expiration of term, or in any other way, the Governor, with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, shall, from a list of three duly qualified hygienists to be filled, chosen, submitted and proposed to him as provided, appoint a successor to the vacating member, who shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term of the member or for a new term in the case of expiration of term. If the dental hygienist member, without adequate reason, is absent from two successive meetings, he shall cease to be a member, and the Governor, upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, has the power to remove from office, at any time, the dental hygienist member of the Board for continued neglect of duty required by this article, whose duty is the same where appropriate as the duty of dentist members, or for incompetency, unprofessional or dishonorable conduct.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act shall apply only to persons appointed as the dental hygienist member after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved April 22, 1980.

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CHAPTER 167

(House Bill 583)

AN ACT concerning

Income Tax - Wage Attachments

FOR the purpose of increasing the exempt portion of a delinquent taxpayer's wages which are subject to attachment.