

FOR the purpose of allowing the Board to impose a certain penalty in lieu or in addition to suspension or revocation of a license; requiring that any penalties collected be paid to the general fund of the State; and granting the Board authority to adopt rules and regulations to set standards for such penalties.

BY adding to

Article 43 - Health  
Section 378A  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1971 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 43 - Health

378A.

(A) IN LIEU OF OR IN ADDITION TO SUSPENSION OF THE LICENSE OF AN OPTOMETRIST, THE BOARD MAY IMPOSE A PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000.

(B) IN ADDITION TO REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF AN OPTOMETRIST, THE BOARD MAY IMPOSE A PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000.

(C) THE BOARD SHALL HAVE THE POWER AND DUTY TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO SET STANDARDS FOR THE IMPOSITION OF PENALTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SUBTITLE.

(D) PENALTIES COLLECTED BY THE BOARD UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID OVER TO THE STATE TREASURER AND SHALL BECOME A PART OF THE GENERAL FUND OF THE STATE.

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

Approved April 22, 1980.

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CHAPTER 172

(House Bill 642)

AN ACT concerning

Anne Arundel County - Rate of Redemption for Tax Sales