

supportive personnel. The effectiveness of the individualized plan of [care] HABILITATION shall be reevaluated periodically.

(b) The Director of Mental Retardation is responsible for providing all necessary professional and support personnel and equipment for full implementation of these plans and shall issue appropriate directives to carry out the intent of this section.

[(c) The Superintendent or Director of the State residential facility and one other professional person of the facility carrying major program responsibility who did not participate in the development of the individualized plans of care shall review and either approve, modify, or disapprove each individualized plan of care as written.]

[(d)] (C) The plan approval shall be based on current needs of the [clients] INDIVIDUAL.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 3(1) through (v), respectively, of Article 59A - Mental Retardation, of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 3(m) through (w), respectively.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

3.

As used in this article, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated unless a contrary meaning is clearly intended from the context in which the term appears:

(L) "HABILITATION" MEANS THAT DEGREE AND TYPE OF EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND CARE REQUIRED BY THE RETARDED INDIVIDUAL TO REACH HIS OR HER MAXIMUM DEVELOPMENT.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1981.

May 19, 1981

The Honorable James Clark, Jr.
President of the Senate
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Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 335.