

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

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CHAPTER 108

(House Bill 1637)

AN ACT concerning

Comprehensive Health Planning

~~FOR--the-purpose-of-repealing-the-provisions-relating-to-the State--Health--Planning--and--Development--Agency,--the Statewide--Health--Coordinating-Council,--health-service areas,--and-health-system--agencies--and--their--duties, including--provisions--as-to-the-structure-of-the-State Agency,--its--powers--and--duties,--the--power--of--the Secretary-of-the-Department-of-Health-and-Hygiene-as-to the-State-Agency,--the-duty-of-the-Governor-as-to-health system--agencies,--repealing-the-provisions-requiring-a health-maintenance-organization-to-obtain-a-certificate of--need--under--certain--conditions,--repealing--the requirements--for--a-certificate-of-need,--including-the requirements-for-hearings--and--appeals,--creating--the State--Health--Planning-Council,--stating-the-purposes-of the-subtitle,--defining--terms,--specifying--powers--and duties--of--the--Council,--specifying--composition--and qualifications-of-the-Council,--providing-for--staffing, providing--for--the--establishment--of--a--method--of financing-the-Council,--and-for-the-acceptance-of-funds, requiring-the-issuance-of-a-certificate-of-need-by--the Council--in--order--to--operate--certain--health--care projects,--providing-for-the-appeal-of-decisions-of--the Council,--providing-for-the-preparation-and-adoption-of a-State-health-plan,--and--generally--relating--to--the administration--of--the--State's--health--planning--and development-functions--according--to--relevant--federal requirements-and-State-law.~~

BY-repealing

Article---Health---General
Section-19-101-through-19-118
Annotated-Code-of-Maryland
{As-enacted-by-Chapter----- (H. B. -200) -of-the
Acts-of-the-General-Assembly-of-1982}

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