(1979 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation Section 30 Annotated Code of Maryland (1979 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 4-305 Annotated Code of Maryland (1980 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That a new Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, designated "Health - General", be and it is hereby enacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE - HEALTH - GENERAL

TITLE 1. DEFINITIONS; GENERAL PROVISIONS.

SUBTITLE 1. DEFINITIONS.

1-101. DEFINITIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN THIS ARTICLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language used as the standard introductory language to a definition section.

(B) COUNTY.

"COUNTY" MEANS A COUNTY OF THIS STATE AND, UNLESS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED OTHERWISE, BALTIMORE CITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language added to indicate that a reference in this article to "county" includes Baltimore City, unless the reference specifically provides otherwise.

Article 1, § 14 of the Code provides that "county" includes Baltimore City "unless such construction would be unreasonable". However, the word "unreasonable" in that section has been interpreted various ways. Therefore, the Commission to Revise the Annotated Code concluded that a more explicit definition of "county" should be included here.

(C) DEPARTMENT.