SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows:

Article - Health Occupations

14-601.

- (d) (1) IN THIS SUBSECTION, "CIVIL ACTION" INCLUDES A HEALTH CARE MALPRACTICE CLAIM UNDER TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 2A OF THE COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS ARTICLE.
- (2) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the proceedings, records, and files of a medical review committee are not discoverable and are not admissible in evidence in any civil action arising out of matters that are being reviewed and evaluated by the medical review committee.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved May 4, 1982.

## CHAPTER 157

(House Bill 126)

AN ACT concerning

Criminal Injuries Compensation Board - Costs

- FOR the purpose of altering the amount of costs that may-be are imposed on certain convicted persons under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act; and generally relating to the imposition of costs under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act.
- BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 26A - Criminal Injuries Compensation Act Section 17 Annotated Code of Maryland (1981 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows:

Article 26A - Criminal Injuries Compensation Act