

(Senate Bill 192)

AN ACT concerning

Office on Aging -  
State Employment of Elderly Persons

FOR ~~the purpose of repealing a certain termination date for a certain employment program for elderly persons; requiring a certain annual report~~ enabling any person 70 years old or older to compete for any merit system position for which he qualifies; providing for certain reviews and extensions; providing for the termination of certain provisions of this Act after a certain date; and generally relating to State employment of elderly persons.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 70B - Office on Aging  
Section 4(d)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1978 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 73B - Pensions  
Section 113(1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1978 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 70B - Office on Aging

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~~(d) (1) In consultation with the Secretary of Personnel, the Director on Aging shall establish a 3-year demonstration AN employment program for persons 70 years of age and over to determine the feasibility of finding employment for these persons in State agencies.~~

~~(2) The persons employed in the demonstration program shall be hired under the provisions of Article 64A but shall not become members of the State Employees' Retirement System.~~ ANY PERSON 70 YEARS OLD OR OLDER IS ELIGIBLE FOR APPOINTMENT TO ANY PERMANENT MERIT SYSTEM POSITION FOR WHICH HE QUALIFIES AND THE APPOINTMENT IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 64A.