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PART IV. TUBERCULOSIS.

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(A) REGISTER REQUIRED.

THE SECRETARY SHALL KEEP A REGISTER OF EACH INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS TUBERCULOSIS.

(B) CONFIDENTIALITY.

THE SECRETARY:

(1) SHALL HAVE EXCLUSIVE CONTROL OF THE REGISTER; AND

(2) MAY NOT DISCLOSE INFORMATION IN THE REGISTER ABOUT ANY INDIVIDUAL TO ANY PERSON WHO IS NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO HAVE THE INFORMATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Article 43, § 95.

As to subsection (a) of this section, the Department keeps a register only of individuals who require treatment for tuberculosis.

In subsection (b) of this section, the defined term "person" is substituted for the word "officials", for clarity and conformity to the intent of excluding an unauthorized person rather than only a nonofficial.

Defined terms: "Person" § 1-101
"Secretary" § 1-101

18-323. INSTRUCTIONS AND SUPPLIES.

THE SECRETARY SHALL PROVIDE PRINTED INSTRUCTIONS AND ANY SUPPLIES THAT THE SECRETARY CONSIDERS NECESSARY TO PREVENT AND CONTROL THE SPREAD OF TUBERCULOSIS, ON THE REQUEST OF ANY HEALTH OFFICER OR ANY PHYSICIAN ATTENDING AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS TUBERCULOSIS.

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The former references to "precautions" and