(1982 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article - Health - General Section 15-119 Annotated Code of Maryland (1982 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health - General

15-101.

- (a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (B) "FACILITY" MEANS A HOSPITAL OR NURSING FACILITY INCLUDING AN INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITY, SKILLED NURSING FACILITY, COMPREHENSIVE CARE FACILITY, OR EXTENDED CARE FACILITY.
- [(b)] (C) "Program" means the Maryland Medical Assistance Program.
- [(c)] (D) "Program recipient" means an individual who receives benefits under the Program.

15-107.

- [(a) In this section, "facility" means a hospital, intermediate care home, or skilled nursing home.
- (b) (1)](A) The Department may require facilities that participate in the Program to submit cost reports, as defined by the Department, within the time set by the Department.
- [(2)] (B) If a report is not submitted within that time, the Department shall withhold from the facility up to 10 percent of current interim payments for the calendar month in which the report is due and any later calendar months until the report is submitted.

15-108.

- (a) In this section, "board" means an appeal board established under this section.
 - (b) (1) The Secretary may:
- (i) Establish one or more boards for purposes of this section; and $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$