

corporate surety under the bond shall become due and payable, and all or any part of any cash or securities shall be applied to payment of the costs of properly closing and covering a landfill only if the Department has:

(1) Notified the applicant and any corporate surety that the landfill has not been closed or covered in a manner that prevents erosion, health and safety hazards, nuisances, and pollution, specifying in the notice the particular deficiencies in the closing or covering of the landfill to be corrected;

(2) Given the applicant and any corporate surety a reasonable opportunity to correct the deficiencies and to close and cover the landfill in accordance with the standards adopted by the Department; and

(3) Authorized the local governing body to close and cover the landfill properly in accordance with the standards adopted by the Department.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 10, 1983.

CHAPTER 103

(Senate Bill 193)

AN ACT concerning

Controlled Hazardous Substances -
Permits and Certificates

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to suspend or revoke certain permits or certificates for violations of any federal or State law, rule, or regulation relating to controlled hazardous substances.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - Environmental
Section 7-257(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Volume)

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