CHAPTER 340

(Senate Bill 393)

AN ACT concerning

Physicians - Hospitals - Reports to Medical Discipline Commission

FOR the purpose of extending the requirement of reporting by hospitals and related institutions to the Commission on Medical Discipline to include certain misconduct or voluntary resignations of certain physicians, medical students; and individuals in postgraduate medical training programs; providing for the applicability of certain hearing provisions; and generally relating to certain reports made to the Commission.

BY adding to

Article - Health Occupations
Section 14-501(h)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1981 Volume and 1983 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health Occupations Section 14-512(a)(1) Annotated Code of Maryland (1981 Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

Article - Health Occupations

14-501.

(H) THOSE INDIVIDUALS NOT LICENSED UNDER THIS TITLE BUT COVERED UNDER § 14-512(A)(1)(III) AND (IV) OF THIS SUBTITLE ARE SUBJECT TO THE HEARING PROVISIONS OF § 14-505 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

14-512.

- (a) (1) Each hospital and related institution shall report to the Commission:
- (i) If the hospital or related institution denies the application of a physician for staff privileges or limits, reduces, or ends the staff privileges of a physician for reasons that might be grounds for disciplinary action under § 14-504 of this subtitle; [or]