

PERFORMANCE UNDER THE CONTRACT, BE SUBJECT TO A DETERMINATION OF QUESTIONS OF FACT BY AN OFFICER OR OFFICIAL BODY OF A CODE COUNTY, PROVIDED THAT THE DECISION OF THE OFFICER OR OFFICIAL BODY OF A CODE COUNTY IS SUBJECT TO REVIEW DE-NOVE ON THE RECORD BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION.

~~{H}--IF--CONTRACT--DISPUTE--SETTLEMENT--PROCEDURES--ARE AUTHORIZED--BY--A--CODE--COUNTY,--IT--MAY--IN--ITS--DISCRETION--ELECT--ONLY THOSE--PROCEDURES--OUTLINED--IN--EITHER--SUBSECTIONS--(F)--OR--(G)-~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect upon or application to any existing contract entered into prior to the effective date of this Act.

SECTION -2- 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1984.

Approved May 29, 1984.

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CHAPTER 540

(Senate Bill 433)

AN ACT concerning

Disabled Individuals - Consent to Medical or Dental Care

FOR the purpose of defining certain terms; clarifying the persons that may treat a disabled individual without consent under certain circumstances; providing that under certain circumstances certain persons may consent to medical or dental care for a disabled person; providing that under certain circumstances a health care provider may not be subject to civil or criminal liability or professional disciplinary action because the individual did not consent to the treatment; providing that the person or persons giving substituted consent are not subject to civil or criminal liability as a result of providing the consent; and generally relating to certain authorizations to consent to health care.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General  
Section 20-107  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1982 Volume and 1983 Supplement)