

~~{2}--IF-NOTIFICATION-WAS-MADE-TO-THE-FIRE-FIGHTER--OR,
EMERGENCY--MEDICAL-TECHNICIAN,--OR-RESCUE-SQUADMAN--AS-REQUIRED-BY
§-18-213-OF-THE-HEALTH---GENERAL-ARTICLE.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1986.

Approved May 27, 1986.

CHAPTER 764

(House Bill 1027)

AN ACT concerning

Hospitals - Requests for Consent for Anatomical Donations

FOR the purpose of requiring certain designated persons at hospitals in this State to ascertain whether patients at the hospital have consented to certain anatomical donations of organs or tissues; providing for the inclusion of this information on certain forms; requiring certain designated persons at a hospital in this State to request certain next of kin of ~~an individual~~ *a minor patient* who dies in the hospital to consent to certain anatomical donations from the decedent; providing certain exemptions; providing for certain discretion and sensitivity in asking for donations under this Act; providing for the documentation of a request and its disposition under this Act; requiring the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene to adopt certain regulations to carry out this Act; providing for compliance with the provisions of this Act; and generally relating to requests to consent to the provision of anatomical donations from a decedent who dies in a hospital.

BY adding to

Article - Health - General
Section 19-310
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Volume and 1985 Supplement)

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

Article - Health - General

19-310.