

[(e)] (F) (1) Within 15 days of receipt of notice of a final action disapproving a resolution or approving a decision not to resolve a dispute relating to the formation of a State contract, the bidder or offeror or prospective bidder or offeror may appeal the action to the State Board of Contract Appeals. The decision of the Board is final only subject to judicial review.

(2) Within 30 days of receipt of notice of a final action disapproving a settlement or approving a decision not to settle a dispute relating to a contract entered into by the State, the contractor may appeal to the Maryland State Board of Contract Appeals.

[(f)] (G) An approved settlement is judicially enforceable in the appropriate court.

[(g)] (H) Subsections (a) through [(e)] (F) of this section shall not apply to disputes concerning the formation of contracts to procure architectural and engineering services made under Title 19. Within 15 days of receipt of notice of a recommendation by the Transportation Professional Services Selection Board or the General Professional Services Selection Board to the Board of Public Works to enter into an architectural and engineering services procurement contract, a prospective offeror of architectural and engineering services may appeal the recommendation to the Board of Public Works which may only (1) approve the recommendation, (2) disapprove the recommendation, or (3) remand the recommendation to the Transportation Professional Services Selection Board or the General Professional Services Selection Board for further consideration.

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

Approved May 27, 1986.

CHAPTER 864

(House Bill 1770)

AN ACT concerning

Certificates of Need - Exemption for Private Offices
of Physicians, Podiatrists, and Dentists

FOR the purpose of altering the definition of ambulatory surgical facility so as to include certain ambulatory surgical facilities or centers under certificate of need requirements ~~and to exempt certain offices of physicians, podiatrists, or dentists from obtaining certificates of need from~~