

This bill authorizes the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to investigate complaints concerning major medical equipment and to deny a license to an applicant who caused the revocation of a prior license.

House Bill 1636, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 27, 1986, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 811.

Sincerely,
Harry Hughes
Governor

Senate Bill No. 811

AN ACT concerning

Health Care Cost Containment - Licensing --Major-Medical
Equipment

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Secretary of Health and Medical ~~Mental~~ Hygiene to investigate complaints concerning licensees of major medical equipment; authorizing the Secretary to inspect the operation of licensed major medical equipment for certain purposes; requiring certain complaints to be referred to the Commission on Medical Discipline of Maryland; authorizing the Secretary to deny a license for major medical equipment under certain circumstances; and generally relating to the licensing of major medical equipment.

BY adding to

Article - Health - General
Section 19-1005.1
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Volume and 1985 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General
Section 19-1006(a)
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

19-1005.1.