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prospective only and are to apply to all individuals initially employed on or after October 1, 1986 and to an employer who operates a facility on or after October 1, 1986.

Senate Bill 315, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on April 29, 1986, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 528.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

House Bill No. 528

AN ACT concerning

Criminal Background Investigation - Child Care Facilities

FOR the purpose of requiring criminal background investigations employees and employers of certain child care facilities; permitting criminal background investigations volunteers at certain child care disclosure of certain criminal employees and facilities; requiring disclosure convictions or pending criminal charges by certain employees employers; providing for the confidentiality of certain information in certain circumstances; providing for certain procedure for applying for a criminal background investigation; providing immunity from civil and criminal liability for certain persons and agencies; requiring the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to conduct the criminal background investigation and to adopt certain rules and regulations; defining certain terms; providing for the prospective application of this Act; providing for a certain penalty under certain circumstances; generally relating to criminal background investigations for certain employees and employers; and providing for the prospective application of this Act.

BY adding to

Article - Family Law
Section 5-560 through 5-568 to be under the new part "Part
VI. Criminal Background Investigations for Employees
of Facilities that Care for or Supervise Children"
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1984 Volume and 1985 Supplement)

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