

BY renumbering

Article 101 --- Workmen's Compensation  
Section 39(d)  
to be Section 39(e)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
{1985- Replacement- Volume- and- 1986- Supplement}

BY repealing

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation  
Section 36(13)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1985 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation  
Section 36{12}-and-39{d} 36(2)(iv) and (11)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1985 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

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

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation

36.

Each employee (or in the case of death his family or dependents) entitled to receive compensation under this article shall receive the same in accordance with the following schedule and except as in this article otherwise provided, such payment shall be in lieu of any and all rights of action whatsoever against any person whomsoever.

(9) (A) IN THIS ARTICLE, THE FOLLOWING TERMS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED:

(I) "VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION" MEANS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES REASONABLY NECESSARY TO ENABLE AN INJURED EMPLOYEE, AS SOON AS PRACTICAL, TO ACHIEVE MAXIMUM MEDICAL IMPROVEMENT AND SECURE SUITABLE GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT.

{II}--"SUITABLE---GAINFUL---EMPLOYMENT"----MEANS EMPLOYMENT-OR-SELF-EMPLOYMENT-WHICH-RESTORES-THE-INJURED-EMPLOYEE AS--SOON--AS-PRACTICAL-TO-MAXIMUM-SELF-SUPPORT,-DUE-CONSIDERATION BEING-GIVEN--TO--THE--EMPLOYEE'S--QUALIFICATIONS,-INTERESTS--AND INCENTIVES,-PREINJURY-EARNINGS,-FUTURE-EARNING-CAPACITY,-AND-THE CURRENT-AND-FUTURE-LABOR-MARKET.