THE APPLICANT'S FUNDS IS SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY NOT EXCEEDING \$2.500.

(7) NOTHING IN THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE CONSTRUED TO PROHIBIT ANY PERSON FROM KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY AGREEING TO GUARANTEE PAYMENT FOR THE COST OF AN APPLICANT'S CARE.

SECTION--3---AND-BE-IT-FURTHER-ENACTED,-That-within-6-months after-approval-of-the-regulations-adopted-pursuant-to-5--19-308-3 of--the--Health-----General-Article,-the-Department-of-Health-and Mental-Hygiene-shall-review-all-applications--and--contracts--for admission--that--are-being-used-by-facilities-for-compliance-with those-regulations-

SECTION -4-3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved May 17, 1988.

CHAPTER 453

(House Bill 695)

AN ACT concerning

Blind Industries and Services of Maryland Board of Trustees

FOR the purpose of requiring that 4 of the members of the Board of Trustees of the Blind Industries and Services of Maryland shall be appointed-from-a-list--submitted--by--the--National Federation--of-the-Blind-of-Maryland; -establishing-that-4-of the-li-trustees-must-be either blind or--individuals--with knowledge--and--expertise-concerning-the-needs-and-abilities of-the-blind-community; requiring that the--list--contain--a certain--number--of--names a certain report of the board include a certain discussion; making certain technical changes; and generally relating to the Board of Trustees of the Blind Industries and Services of Maryland.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 30 - Deaf, Mute or Blind Section 5 and 6 Annotated Code of Maryland (1986 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)