

(4) Selection and adaptation of hearing aids and testing of aids.

(5) Basic repair and maintenance of aids.

(6) Taking ear mold impressions.

(7) Other skills as may be required for the fitting of hearing aids.

-†-(c) [No examination of any established association of hearing aid dealers or manufacturers may be used.] Examinations shall be changed annually.-†-

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Business Occupations

8-304.

(e) [(1)] The Board shall use a new examination at least once a year.

[(2) The Board may not give an examination that an association of hearing aid dealers or manufacturers prepares.]

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 1 of this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989 and remain in effect until the taking effect of Section 2.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect October 1, 1989, contingent on the taking effect of Chapter ____ (S.B. 1) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989. However, if Chapter ____ does not become effective, then Section 2 of this Act may not take effect and shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.

Approved April 11, 1989.
