

hearing within a certain period after bringing charges against a registrant; providing for effective dates for this Act; and generally relating to regulation of the practice of engineering.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 75 1/2 - Professional Engineers  
Section 17(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1988 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing

Article 75 1/2 - Professional Engineers  
Section 17(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1988 Replacement Volume)

BY adding to

Article 75 1/2 - Professional Engineers  
Section 17(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1988 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Business Occupations  
Section 14-319(a)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(As enacted by Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ (S.B. 1) of the  
Acts of the General Assembly of 1989)

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

Article 75 1/2 - Professional Engineers

17.

(b) Any person, including an employee of the Board, may [prefer charges of] SUBMIT A COMPLAINT TO THE BOARD ALLEGING fraud, deceit, misrepresentation, gross negligence, incompetence, misconduct, or other act or omission proscribed in subsection (a) of this section, against any registrant. [Such charges] COMPLAINTS shall be specific and in writing, shall be sworn to by the person or persons making them, and shall be filed with the secretary of the Board.