

~~{7}--The--State--Board--Maryland--Higher--Education
Commission--and--the--State--Board--of--Nursing--shall--implement--its--the
findings--of--the--task--force--for--the--1990--incoming--class.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1989. ~~It--shall--remain--effective--until--the
Commission--has--Maryland--Higher--Education--Commission--and--the--State
Board--of--Nursing--have--implemented--its--the--findings--of--the--task
force,--and--with--no--further--action--required--by--the--General
Assembly,--this--Act--shall--be--abrogated--and--of--no--further--force--and
effect.~~

Approved May 25, 1989.

CHAPTER 604

(Senate Bill 705)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Higher Education Commission - Feasibility of a
Cooperative Nursing Degree Program

FOR the purpose of implementing a cooperative nursing degree program at certain State educational institutions; ~~and
providing for the effective date of this Act,--providing--for
the--termination--of--this--Act.~~

Preamble

WHEREAS, A cooperative degree program provides extensive work experience for nursing students, better preparing the students for work in the hospital or nursing home setting;

WHEREAS, A cooperative degree program provides nursing students with the opportunity to earn money for tuition and fees, easing the financial burden of attending college;

WHEREAS, A cooperative degree program, through its work experience provisions, provides nursing students with a greater degree of preparedness, enabling students to find work to fit their career goals; and

WHEREAS, A cooperative degree program exposes the nursing student to areas of severe nursing shortage; now, therefore,