

the State Fire Marshal's Office to develop certain written procedures and make them available to certain persons; prohibiting certain persons from refusing to treat or transport an individual because the individual is HIV positive; and generally relating to a contagious disease or human immunodeficiency virus.

~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~

~~Article — Health — General~~

~~Section 18-213~~

~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~

~~(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)~~

BY adding to

Article — Health — General

Section 18-213.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

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

**Article -- Health -- General**

~~18-213.~~

~~(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.~~

~~(2) "Contagious disease or virus" means:~~

~~(i) Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV);~~

~~(ii) Hepatitis B;~~

~~(iii) Meningococcal meningitis;~~

~~(iv) Tuberculosis; or~~

~~(v) Mononucleosis.~~

~~(3) "Law enforcement officer" means any person who, in an official capacity, is authorized by law to make arrests and who is a member of one of the following law enforcement agencies:~~

~~(i) The Maryland State Police;~~

~~(ii) The Baltimore City Police Department;~~

~~(iii) The police department, bureau, or force of any county;~~

~~(iv) The police department, bureau, or force of any incorporated city~~

~~or town;~~

~~(v) The office of the sheriff of any county;~~