

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1993.

Approved May 11, 1993.

CHAPTER 239

(Senate Bill 426)

AN ACT concerning

Out-of-State Medical Laboratories - Performing Tests and Examinations

FOR the purpose of authorizing certain persons to obtain a permit from the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene to perform tests or examinations pertaining to individuals in this State at a medical laboratory located outside this State under certain circumstances; specifying the permit application procedures; and generally relating to obtaining a permit to perform tests or examinations pertaining to individuals in this State at a medical laboratory located outside this State.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 17-201(c), 17-205(a), 17-207(b), and 17-209

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

17-201.

(c) "Permit" means a permit issued by the Secretary:

(1) To operate a medical laboratory in this State; [or]

(2) To represent or service in this State a medical laboratory that is outside this State; OR

(3) TO PERFORM TESTS OR EXAMINATIONS PERTAINING TO INDIVIDUALS IN THIS STATE AT A MEDICAL LABORATORY LOCATED OUTSIDE THIS STATE.

17-205.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this subtitle, a person shall hold a permit issued by the Secretary before the person may:

(1) Operate a medical laboratory in this State; [or]