

RECOVER ARREARAGES OF CHILD SUPPORT: UPON A FINDING BY THE COURT THAT THERE WAS AN ABSENCE OF SUBSTANTIAL JUSTIFICATION OF A PARTY FOR PROSECUTING OR DEFENDING THE PROCEEDING, AND ABSENT A FINDING BY THE COURT OF GOOD CAUSE TO THE CONTRARY, THE COURT SHALL AWARD TO THE OTHER PARTY COSTS AND COUNSEL FEES.

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

Approved May 27, 1993.

CHAPTER 515

(House Bill 382)

AN ACT concerning

Commission on Complementary Medical Methods

FOR the purpose of establishing a Commission on Complementary Medical Methods; providing for the membership of the Commission; charging the Commission with certain duties; requiring the Commission to issue a report and make recommendations by a certain date; providing for the termination of the Commission; and generally relating to the Commission on Complementary Medical Methods.

BY adding to

Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative Departments

Section 18-304

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

Preamble

WHEREAS, The practice of medicine has changed and continues to change with the development of new technology and research; and

WHEREAS, Complementary medical methods often become the standard or traditional practice pattern over time; and

WHEREAS, Individuals should have the right and freedom to choose what they believe to be the most appropriate course of treatment for their medical conditions; now, therefore,

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