SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1996.

Approved May 14, 1996.

CHAPTER 400

(Senate Bill 470)

AN ACT concerning

Design Professional Boards - Reinstatement of Licenses - Fees

FOR the purpose of altering certain fees charged by the State Board of Architects, the State Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects, the State Board for Professional Engineers, and the State Board for Professional Land Surveyors for licensees to reinstate licenses; requiring certain licensees to pay certain renewal fees; requiring the State Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects to reinstate certain licenses under certain circumstances; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to the fees charged by the State Board of Architects, the State Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects, the State Board for Professional Engineers, and the State Board for Professional Land Surveyors for licensees to reinstate licenses.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Business Occupations and Professions

Section 3-310, 9-313, 14-315, and 14-320, 15-315, and 15-321

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – Business Occupations and Professions

Section 9-314

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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

Article - Business Occupations and Professions

3-310.

- (A) The Board shall reinstate the license of an architect who, for any reason, has failed to renew the license by the end of the 30-day grace period if the architect:
 - (1) meets the renewal requirements of § 3-309 of this subtitle;
- (2) pays to the Board [the] ALL PAST DUE renewal [fee required under § 3-309 of this subtitle] FEES;