

(G) THE SECRETARY MAY DETERMINE THAT LICENSES ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL EXPIRE ON A STAGGERED BASIS.

Article 4 – Baltimore City

4-2.

The Board has general supervision of all stationary engineers within the State, except as hereinafter provided. The Board shall examine all engineers who are 18 years old or older and apply for examination and shall give all parties so examined a certificate of proficiency if found proficient, and refuse to give a certificate if not found proficient. Each person applying for the examination shall pay an application fee set by the Board, which may not exceed the cost of administering the required examination. Each person receiving the certificate shall pay to the Board \$15 for the certificate issued and \$30 for all renewals of all grades. The certificate shall be of four grades: a certificate of the first grade will permit the holder to take charge of any plant of machinery; the second grade to take charge of any plant machinery from one to five hundred horse-power; the third grade to take charge of any plant of machinery from one to thirty horse-power; and the fourth grade to take charge of any hoisting or portable plant of machinery. The certificate shall be renewed biennially on or before the first day of February of each odd-numbered year, UNLESS THE SECRETARY OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION DETERMINES THAT THE CERTIFICATES SHALL BE RENEWED ON A STAGGERED BASIS. An engineer holding a certificate may not have charge of more than one plant of machinery at the same time unless the plant is of the same company and at one and the same place. A substitute who has not been examined and received a certificate may not be placed in charge of machinery by any engineer who has.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1997.

Approved April 8, 1997.

CHAPTER 60

(House Bill 466)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Veterans Commission – Membership

FOR the purpose of adding a representative of the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association to the membership of the Maryland Veterans Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – State Government

Section 9-907(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)