

[(xii)](XII) Title 9, Subtitle 2 of this article (“Conservation, Rehabilitation, and Liquidation of Insurers”);

[(xiii)](XIV) § 10–120 of this article (“Temporary certificates”);

[(xiv)](XV) Title 14, Subtitle X of this article (48A, §§ 468B through 468GB; “Medicare Supplement Act”);

[(xv)](XVI) Title XX of this article (48A, Subtitle 15; “Unfair Trade Practices”); and

[(xvi)](XVII) § XX–XXX of this article (48A, § 12; “General penalty”).

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 1 of this Act shall take effect June 1, 1997.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect October 1, 1997.

Approved May 22, 1997.

CHAPTER 650

(House Bill 211)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Health Insurance Reform – Application to Self-Employed Individuals

FOR the purpose of altering the definition of self-employment under the Maryland Health Insurance Reform Act to include an individual whose income is derived from self-employment regardless of how the individual’s business is organized under certain circumstances; authorizing certain persons to request documentation from certain persons for a certain purpose; providing for the effective dates of this Act; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to small employer group health insurance.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 48A – Insurance Code

Section 698(q)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 48A – Insurance Code

Section 698(q)(9)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)