## 1999 LAWS OF MARYLAND

## 13-308.

- (c) Before the license expires, the licensee periodically may renew it for an additional 2-year term if the licensee:
  - (1) Otherwise is entitled to be licensed;
  - (2) Pays to the Board a renewal fee set by the Board; and
  - (3) Submits to the Board:
    - (i) A renewal application on the form that the Board requires;
- (ii) Satisfactory evidence of compliance with the performance bond and contractor's liability insurance requirements of the Board; and
- (iii) Satisfactory evidence of compliance with any continuing education requirement established under this subtitle for license renewal[, except licensees designated as apprentice licensees by the Board].
- (d) (1) Beginning July 1, 1985, within the license renewal period, each licensee shall comply with the continuing education requirements of this section as a precondition for the renewal of that license. [These requirements do not apply to apprentice licensees.]
- (2) A licensee shall complete 20 hours of approved continuing education instruction covering well drilling subject matter approved by the Board.
- (3) (i) The Board shall approve the substance and form of each continuing education course, if the course is:
- 1. Offered by qualified instructors experienced in the well drilling industry and approved by the Board; or
- 2. Conducted by educational institutions approved by the Board.
- (ii) The licensee is responsible for the cost of any continuing education course.
- (4) The Board may waive the requirements of this subsection if a person can show just cause why that person is not able to meet the requirements.

## 13–311.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in the Administrative Procedure Act, before the Board takes any action under § 13-310 OR § 13-506 of this [subtitle] TITLE, it shall give the person against whom the action is contemplated an opportunity for a hearing before the Board.

## 13–312.

[Except as provided in this section for an action under § 13-310 of this subtitle, any] ANY person aggrieved by a final decision of the Board in a contested case, as