EXCEED 20 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF COMPREHENSIVE CARE NURSING BEDS THAT ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CONTINUING CARE NURSING FACILITY THAT IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

(C) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTIONS (A) AND (B) OF THIS SECTION AND § 19-114(E)(2)(II) OF THIS PART, A CONTINUING CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY THAT QUALIFIES FOR AN EXEMPTION FROM A CERTIFICATE OF NEED UNDER § 19-114(E)(2)(II) OF THIS PART MAY NOT ADMIT A SUBSCRIBER DIRECTLY INTO A COMPREHENSIVE CARE NURSING BED IF THE DIRECT ADMISSION WOULD CAUSE THE OCCUPANCY OF THE COMPREHENSIVE CARE NURSING BEDS IN THE CONTINUING CARE COMMUNITY TO EXCEED 95 PERCENT OF FULL CAPACITY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2000. It shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of June 30, 2002, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved May 11, 2000.

CHAPTER 239

(Senate Bill 147)

AN ACT concerning

State Board of Dental Examiners

FOR the purpose of clarifying that certain provisions of law relating to the waiver of education qualifications for a limited license to practice dentistry may be applied to general licensee applicants who meet certain conditions; and generally relating to waiver of education qualifications for a general license to practice dentistry.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health Occupations

Section 4-302(d) and 4-303

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

Article - Health Occupations

4 - 302.

(d) To qualify for a license to practice dentistry, the applicant shall hold a degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, Doctor of Dental Medicine, or the equivalent, from a college or university that is: