

(II) ON RECOMMENDATION BY THE BOARD, ADOPT ANY REGULATION NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(2) SHALL:

(I) ENSURE THAT RECIPIENTS OF GRANT FUNDS UNDER THIS SUBTITLE USE THE FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSES AUTHORIZED BY THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(II) DESIGNATE THE STAFF NECESSARY TO ASSIST THE BOARD IN CARRYING OUT ITS FUNCTIONS UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

### Article - Insurance

#### 6-103.1.

NOTWITHSTANDING § 2-114 OF THIS ARTICLE, BEGINNING JANUARY 15, 2002, FROM THE TAX IMPOSED ON THE HEALTH INSURERS UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, \$1,000,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED ANNUALLY TO THE SPINAL CORD INJURY RESEARCH TRUST FUND CREATED UNDER § 13-1006 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2000.

Approved May 18, 2000.

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### CHAPTER 513

#### (House Bill 300)

AN ACT concerning

#### State Board of Spinal Cord Injury Research

FOR the purpose of establishing a State Board of Spinal Cord Injury Research in the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; specifying the composition of the Board and the terms of its members; providing for the appointment of the chairman, a quorum, and meetings of the Board and certain reimbursement of its members; specifying certain duties of the Board, including the administration of a certain grant program and fund; providing that certain members of the Board may not vote on certain matters; establishing a Spinal Cord Injury Research Trust Fund; providing for the administration, purpose, funding, and status of the Fund; providing for the distribution of certain insurance premium tax revenue to the Fund; specifying certain powers and duties of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene; ~~providing that certain individuals convicted of certain speeding violations are subject to a certain surcharge to be collected by the District Court; requiring the District Court to notify a certain individual about a certain surcharge and, on receipt of a certain surcharge, to pay the surcharge into the Fund; requiring the District Court to order the Motor Vehicle Administration to initiate an action to suspend the driving privileges of a certain individual under certain circumstances; defining~~