

REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT THE COMMISSION HAS A WRITTEN RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE REAL ESTATE LICENSING AUTHORITY OF THAT OTHER STATE, UNITED STATES TERRITORY, OR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ~~UNLESS THE COURSE DOES NOT SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION~~ PROVIDED THAT THE COURSE MEETS OR EXCEEDS THE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.

(6) (4) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2002, THE COMMISSION SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE CONDUCT OF CONTINUING EDUCATION INSTRUCTION COURSES BY:

- (I) REMOTE ACCESS SATELLITE;
- (II) CLOSED-CIRCUIT VIDEO;
- (III) COMPUTER, INCLUDING TRANSMISSION OVER THE INTERNET AND THE WORLD WIDE WEB;
- (IV) HOME STUDY; AND
- (V) ANY OTHER DELIVERY SYSTEM APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION.

(d) If feasible, continuing education courses shall be offered at reasonable intervals in each county and in each major geographic area of the larger counties.

(e) On completion of a continuing education course by a licensee, the entity that conducted the course or the instructor shall issue to the licensee [a certificate] EVIDENCE of completion that states the number of clock hours of [that] THE COMPLETED course.

(f) The Commission may waive the requirements of this section for a licensee if the licensee shows good cause for being unable to meet the requirements.

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

May 18, 2000

The Honorable Casper R. Taylor, Jr.  
Speaker of the House  
State House  
Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 864 - Continuing Care Communities - Certificate of Need Exemption - Comprehensive Care Nursing Beds.

This bill increases the number of nursing home beds a continuing care community (CCC) is authorized to maintain to qualify for an exemption from a certificate of need (CON). The bill provides for an exemption from CON requirements if the number of