- $\underline{3.}$ A STATE FACILITY AS DEFINED IN § 10–101 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE, OR
- 4. <u>A COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH SUBJECT TO TITLE 3,</u> SUBTITLE 2 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE.
- (K) THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE SHALL NOTIFY THE STATE RETIREMENT AGENCY OF ANY RETIREES WHO QUALIFY UNDER SUBSECTION (B)(2)(VI) (B)(4)(VI) OF THIS SECTION.

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SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

- (1) THIS SECTION OF THIS ACT DOES NOT APPLY TO A RETIREE OF THE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM OR THE EMPLOYEES PENSION SYSTEM WHO IS REEMPLOYED ON A CONTRACTUAL BASIS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE AS A HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER, AS DEFINED IN § 1–301 OF THE HEALTH OCCUPATIONS ARTICLE IN:
- (I) A STATE RESIDENTIAL CENTER AS DEFINED IN § 7–101 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE;
- (II) A CHRONIC DISEASE CENTER SUBJECT TO TITLE 19, SUBTITLE 5 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE;
- (III) A STATE FACILITY AS DEFINED IN § 10–101 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE; OR
- (IV) A COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH SUBJECT TO TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 2 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE.
- [(1)](2) A retiree who retires under this Act may not become reemployed in a temporary or contractual position with the State, unless the reemployment is approved by:
- (i) The Board of Public Works, for a position not in the Legislative Branch of State government; or
- (ii) The President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Delegates, for a position in the Legislative Branch of State government;
- [(2)](3) If a retiree who retires under this Act is reemployed in a permanent, temporary, or contractual position with a participating employer, in addition to any other reduction in the retiree's retirement allowance required under State law, the retiree's retirement allowance shall be reduced by the amount it exceeds the retirement allowance the retiree would otherwise have received;
- [(3)] (4) No more than 2% of the total number of employees retiring under this Act may be reemployed in a contractual or temporary position in any branch of State government;