

15-102.

(a) (1) There is a Board of License Commissioners in St. Mary's County known as the [Alcoholic] ALCOHOL Beverage Board of St. Mary's County.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

Approved April 10, 2001.

**CHAPTER 53**

**(House Bill 179)**

AN ACT concerning

**Health Insurance - Private Review Agents and Complaint Process**

FOR the purpose of clarifying that certain grievance decisions must be made by a physician who is board certified or eligible in the same specialty as the treatment under review under certain circumstances; applying certain provisions of the Insurance Article to health maintenance organizations under certain circumstances; requiring a health maintenance organization to comply with certain provisions of law; making a certain technical change concerning treatment plans for utilization review; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the qualifications of physicians who make grievance decisions and to the requirements in a treatment plan for utilization review.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 19-706(y) and 19-729(a)(11)

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BY adding to

Article - Health - General

Section 19-706(rr)

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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Insurance

Section 15-10B-03(d)(2)(i), 15-10B-06(e)(1), and 15-10B-09.1

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(1997 Volume and 2000 Supplement)