

(b) Up to 25% of the revenues generated by the quality assessment shall be distributed as provided in this section, to the extent federal law allows. Further, the distribution of revenues as provided in this section shall be used as an incentive for nursing facilities to provide quality care, and may not be used to directly or indirectly hold harmless any nursing facility.

SECTION ~~5~~ 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in Section 3 and subject to Section 4 of this Act, this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007. It shall remain effective for a period of 5 years and, at the end of June 30, 2012, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved by the Governor, May 17, 2007.

CHAPTER 504

(Senate Bill 105)

AN ACT concerning

**Statewide Advisory Commission on ~~Immunization~~ Immunizations -
Universal Vaccine Purchasing System Duties and Sunset Extension**

FOR the purpose of expanding certain duties of the Statewide Advisory Commission on Immunizations; including a representative from a health insurance carrier on the Commission; extending the termination date of the Commission; requiring the Commission to make certain recommendations in a certain annual report by a certain date; providing for the termination of a certain provision of this Act; and generally relating to the Statewide Advisory Commission on Immunizations.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Health - General
Section 18-214
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Chapter 337 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002, as amended by
Chapter 200 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2005
Section 2