

(i) (1) The State Fire Marshal or a full-time assistant of the office of the State Fire Marshal has the same powers of arrest set forth in subsection (c) OF THIS SECTION as to offenses listed under §§ 6, 7, 119, [and] 139B, AND 139C of this article.

(2) The State Fire Marshal or a full-time assistant of the office of the State Fire Marshal has the same powers of arrest set forth in subsection (e) OF THIS SECTION as to offenses listed under §§ 7A, 8, 9, 9A, 10, 10A, 11, 11D, 111B, 139A, 151C, and 156 of this article.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1991.

Approved April 30, 1991.

CHAPTER 120

(Senate Bill 633)

AN ACT concerning

Health Insurance – Payment of Claims – Notice

FOR the purpose of requiring certain health plans and insurers under certain circumstances to send a certain notice within a certain period of time of receiving a claim for reimbursement for health care provider services; making the imposition of a certain penalty against certain health plans and insurers self-executing; altering the exemptions from a certain penalty imposed against certain health plans and insurers; making technical changes; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the payment of claims by certain health plans and insurers.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 48A – Insurance Code

Section 354Z(a), 470U(a), and 477AA(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1986 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 48A – Insurance Code

Section 354Z(b), 470U(b), and 477AA(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1986 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 48A – Insurance Code

354Z.