

BY adding to

Article - ~~Environment~~ Health - General

Section ~~8-304.1~~ 20-115

Annotated Code of Maryland

(~~1987~~ 1990 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)

*BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,*

Chapter 440 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1988, as amended by Chapter 471 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989

Section 2 and 4

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Chapter 440 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1988, as amended by Chapter 471 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989

Section 3

~~BY adding to~~

~~Article - Health - General~~

~~Section 19-348.1~~

~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~

~~(1990 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)~~

Preamble

WHEREAS, 1 in 10 women will get breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, Mammograms, if taken by faulty equipment or read by unqualified personnel, could threaten the lives of Maryland citizens with excessive radiation and the failure to detect treatable cancer; and

WHEREAS, The citizens of Maryland should be receiving consistently high quality mammograms delivered by qualified health care professionals using safe and accurate equipment, regardless of their geographic location in the State; and

WHEREAS, With the expected increase in the number of mammography testing centers in Maryland and on a nationwide basis, standards and criteria should be established for mammography testing and equipment; now, therefore,

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

~~Article - Environment~~

~~8-101.~~

- ~~(a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.~~
- ~~(b) "Board" means the Radiation Control Advisory Board.~~