

And provided further that the health officer shall attend all indigent persons in the said County suffering from contagious diseases.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect on the first day of June, 1916.

Approved April 4th, 1916.

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CHAPTER 203.

(*Vetoed.*)

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CHAPTER 204.

AN ACT to abolish the State Vaccine Agency and the State Vaccine Agent and to transfer the powers and duties of such Agency and Agent to the State Board of Health.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* All of the powers and duties now exercised or performed by the State Vaccine Agency, as now provided for by section 53 of article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Health" sub-title "State Vaccine Agency," and all of the powers and duties now exercised or performed by the State Vaccine Agent, who is now provided for by section 54 of said Article 43 of said code, together with all the books, records, documents, unexpended balances and all other matters and things of or appertaining to said Agency or Agent, shall be transferred to and devolved upon the State Board of Health, and the said powers and duties shall thereupon and thereafter be exercised and performed by the State Board of Health; and the said State Vaccine Agency and the office of the said State Vaccine Agent shall thereupon be abolished; nothing in this Act shall be construed so as to shorten the term of the office of the incumbent.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall take effect on the first day of June, 1916.

Approved April 4th, 1916.