

“Physical Therapy”, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that a new section be and it is hereby enacted in lieu thereof, said new Section to be known as Section 533, to follow immediately after Section 532 of said Article, and to read as follows:

533. On June 1, 1949, the term of each member of the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners then in office shall terminate, and on said date the Governor shall appoint five (5) persons who shall be known as the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners. Each person appointed to said Board shall be licensed to practice medicine under the laws of this State. One of the appointments shall be for a term of one (1) year, one for a term of two (2) years, one for a term of three (3) years, one for a term of four (4) years, and one for a term of five (5) years; thereafter, appointments shall be for terms of five (5) years. Vacancies shall be filled by the Governor for the unexpired term. All appointments shall be made from lists of names of qualified persons submitted to the Governor by the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland, and shall contain not less than three (3) names for each appointment to be made. For the transaction of business, the concurrence of at least three (3) members of the Board shall be necessary. Members of the Board shall be entitled to receive such compensation as it may determine from time to time, not to exceed Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per day for each day they are engaged in transacting the business of the Board. The members shall receive also their necessary traveling expenses. The Board shall elect annually one of its members as Chairman, and shall also elect annually a Secretary, who need not be a member of the Board. The Secretary shall receive such compensation as may be provided in the budget; and the compensation of the members, the Secretary and all expenses of the Board shall be paid from its receipts. The Board shall have the authority to obtain information which it may require in the field of physical therapy and, for that purpose, may secure the advice of experts and consultants to be paid out of the funds of the Board.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Section 538 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title “Health”, sub-title “Physical Therapy”, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

538. All persons licensed as physical therapists under the provisions of this sub-title shall, as a condition precedent to