

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved April 14, 1967.

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CHAPTER 192

(House Bill 20)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Article 75½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors," completely revising certain laws of this State relating to the qualifications and licensing of professional engineers and land surveyors, providing for the members, powers, duties and functions of the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, and relating generally to the occupations of professional engineers and land surveyors in this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Article 75½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1.

It is hereby declared that, in order to safeguard life, health and property, and to promote the public welfare, any person practicing or offering to practice engineering or, land surveying, OR PROPERTY LINE SURVEYING, shall hereafter be required to submit evidence that he is qualified so to practice and shall be registered as hereinafter provided; and it shall be unlawful for any person to practice or to offer to practice in this State, engineering or land surveying, as defined in the provisions of this article, or to use in connection with his name or otherwise assume, use, or advertise any title or description tending to convey the impression that he is [a professional engineer] *an engineer* or a land surveyor, unless such person has been duly registered under the provisions of this article. *The right to engage in the practice of engineering or land surveying shall be deemed a personal right, based on the qualifications of the individual as evidenced by his certificate of registration, which shall not be transferable.*

2.

[(a) the term "engineer" as used in this article shall mean a professional engineer as hereinafter defined.]

(a) *The term "engineer," within the meaning and intent of this article, shall mean a person who, by reason of his special knowledge and use of the mathematical, physical and engineering sciences and the principles and methods of engineering analysis and design, acquired by engineering education and engineering experience, is qualified to practice engineering.*