

CHAPTER 514

(House Bill 863)

AN ACT concerning

State Board of Examiners of Nurses - Nursing Education Programs

FOR the purpose of altering the circumstances under which the State Board of Examiners of Nurses may remove an institution from its list of institutions that offer approved nursing education programs in the State; and generally relating to removal of institutions from the State Board of Examiners of Trustees Nurses list.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health Occupations
Section 7-404
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1986 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

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

Article - Health Occupations

7-404.

(a) ~~The~~ EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE Board may remove an institution from its list of institutions that offer approved nursing education programs in this State if the institution[:

(1) Violates the standards set under this title or by the Board[; and

(2) Does not correct the violation in a reasonable time after notice is given].

(B) ~~(1)~~ (1) AT LEAST --30- 30 DAYS BEFORE THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A FORMAL NOTICE OF VIOLATION TO AN INSTITUTION, THE BOARD SHALL NOTIFY THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR OF THE INSTITUTION AND THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE INSTITUTION THAT THE BOARD IS CONSIDERING ISSUING A FORMAL NOTICE OF VIOLATION.

~~(1)~~ (2) DURING THE 30-DAY PERIOD PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH ~~(1)~~ (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE BOARD SHALL PROVIDE THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR OF THE INSTITUTION AND THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAM AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BOARD.