J2, J1 5lr1996 CF SB 421

By: Delegate Kipke

Introduced and read first time: February 13, 2015 Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

## A BILL ENTITLED

4 A	<b>NT A</b>	$\alpha$ m	•
1 A	N A	JT co	ncerning

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10 11

## State Board of Dental Examiners - Authority - Exemptions

- FOR the purpose of altering certain exemptions from the authority of the State Board of Dental Examiners; providing that the Board's authority does not apply to certain clinics, government agencies, or nonprofit organizations; repealing the exemption from the Board's authority of certain groups under certain circumstances; requiring certain dental employees of certain government agencies or nonprofit organizations to be under the authority of the Board; requiring the dentists employed by certain government agencies or nonprofit organizations to be licensed and under certain authority of the Board; and generally relating to the authority of the State Board of Dental Examiners.
- 12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 13 Article Health Occupations
- 14 Section 4–102
- 15 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 16 (2014 Replacement Volume)
- 17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND.
- 18 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

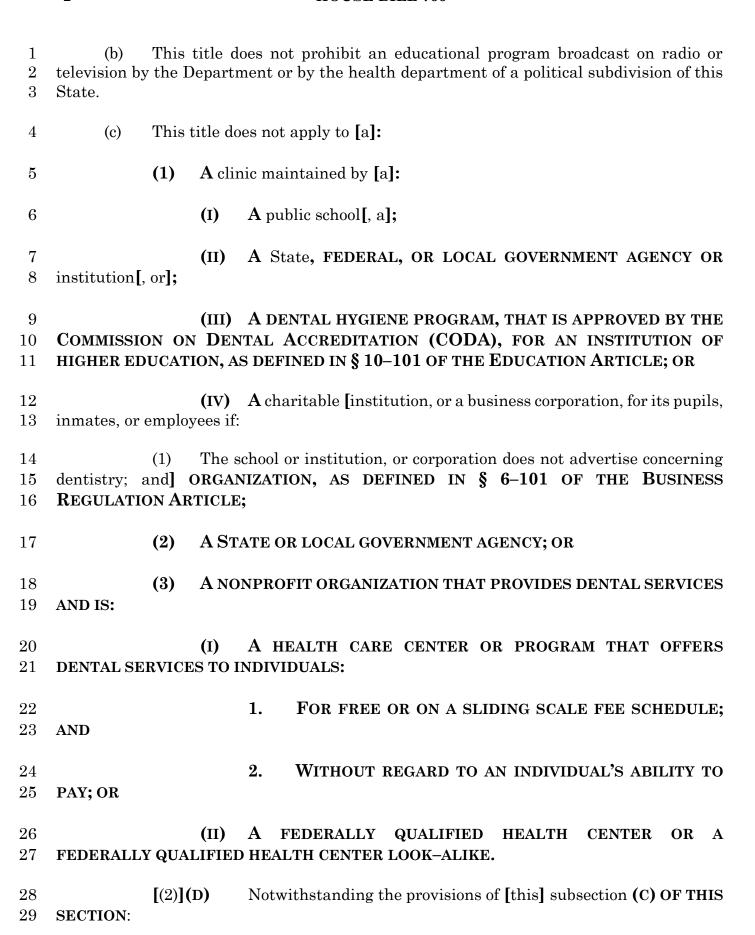
## 19 Article – Health Occupations

- 20 4–102.
- 21 (a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, this title does not limit 22 the right of an individual to practice a health occupation that the individual is authorized 23 to practice under this article.
- 24 (2) The provisions of this title do not affect a physician while practicing 25 medicine, unless the physician practices dentistry as a specialty.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.





1	[(1)](1) Each dental hygienist, dental assistant, dental technician,
2	or other dental auxiliary employed by the clinic, A STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT
3	AGENCY, OR A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION shall be subject to the provisions of this title;
4	and
5	[(ii)](2) Each dentist employed by the clinic, A STATE OR LOCAL
6	GOVERNMENT AGENCY, OR A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION shall be licensed and shall
7	be subject to the provisions of Subtitle 3 of this title.
8	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
9	October 1, 2015.