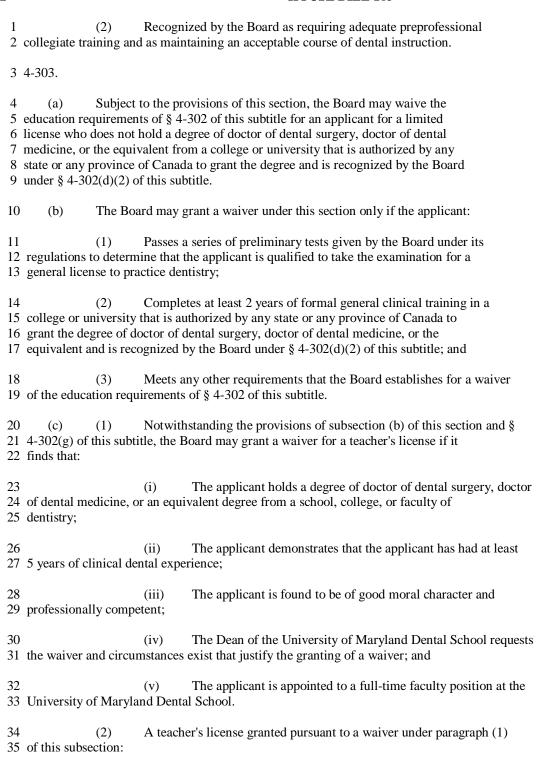
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CHAPTER	
1 AN ACT concerning	
2 State Board of Dental Examiners	
FOR the purpose of clarifying that certain provisions of law relating to the waive education qualifications for a limited license to practice dentistry may be applied to general licensee applicants who meet certain conditions; and generally relating to waiver of education qualifications for a general license practice dentistry.	
<ul> <li>8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,</li> <li>9 Article - Health Occupations</li> <li>10 Section 4-302(d) and 4-303</li> <li>11 Annotated Code of Maryland</li> <li>12 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)</li> </ul>	
13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:	
15 Article - Health Occupations	
16 4-302.	
17 (d) To qualify for a license to practice dentistry, the applicant shall hold 18 degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, Doctor of Dental Medicine, or the equivalent 19 a college or university that is:	
20 (1) Authorized by any state or any province of Canada to gran 21 degree; and	t the



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- 1 (i) Authorizes the licensee to practice dentistry to the same extent
- 2 as other faculty members who hold general licenses to practice dentistry, provided
- 3 that the licensee only practices dentistry at established teaching sites and faculty
- 4 programs of the University of Maryland Dental School; and
- 5 (ii) Shall be surrendered immediately to the Board when the
- 6 licensee ceases to hold an appointment as a full-time faculty member of the
- 7 University of Maryland Dental School.
- 8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding the
- 9 provisions of § 4-303(a) of the Health Occupations Article, the State Board of Dental
- 10 Examiners may waive the education requirements of § 4-302(d) of the article for a
- 11 general licensee applicant who meets the criteria provided in § 4-303(b) of the article
- 12 and was enrolled in a residency program at The University of Maryland Dental
- 13 School on or before July 1, 1998 and is examined by the State Board of Dental
- 14 Examiners on or before December 31, 2000.
- 15 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 16 July 1, 2000.