CHAPTER 403

(House Bill 413)

AN ACT concerning

State Board for Professional Engineers – Repeal of Authority to Issue Limited Licenses

FOR the purpose of repealing the authority of the State Board for Professional Engineers to issue limited licenses to practice engineering on a specific job; and generally relating to the State Board of Professional Engineers and the practice of engineering.

BY repealing

Article – Business Occupations and Professions Section 14–316 Annotated Code of Maryland (2004 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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

Article – Business Occupations and Professions

[14-316.

(a) The Board may issue a limited license to practice engineering on a specific job to any applicant who:

- (1) is licensed to practice engineering in any other state;
- (2) is not a resident of this State;
- (3) does not have a place of business in this State;

(4) submits to the Board an application on the form that the Board provides; and

(5) pays to the Board a license fee set by the Board.

(b) While a limited license is in effect, it authorizes the licensee to practice engineering only for the specific job for which the limited license is issued, as set forth in the limited license.

(c) (1) The Board shall set the term for each limited license issued under this section and state the term in the limited license.

(2) The term for a limited license may not be set for more than 1 year.

(3) A limited license becomes effective and expires on the dates set by the Board.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2007.

Approved by the Governor, May 8, 2007.