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Dear Dental/Dental Hygiene Graduate,

Congratulations on your graduation from dental/dental hygiene school. This single achievement will set the course for your life in wonderful ways that you have yet to imagine. We wish you much success in your professional endeavors.

The Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners (Dental Board) used to produce a book that detailed the laws and regulations of dentistry in Maryland. This book was produced to help dental graduate's study for their Jurisprudence Exam. Because these laws are accessible to you online, we will no longer produce the dental law book. The cost of production is expensive and the laws and regulations change from time to time.

I am, therefore, providing for you the link to the Dental Board's website on which you will find the current laws and regulations governing dentistry. The link to the site is: https://health.maryland.gov/dental/Pages/stats_and_regs.aspx. This link will take you to the Dental Board's website. Once you are there, go to the left column and click the "Statutes and Regulations" link. When you are on the statutes and regulations page, it will explain how to access Title 4 of the Health Occupations Article. There will be 7 subtitles that you will want to review in preparation for the jurisprudence exam. When you are ready to look at the regulations, you will follow the instructions near the bottom of the page that explains how to access them.

If you have difficulty accessing the laws and regulations, please contact Mrs. Sandra Sage, our Computer Information Services Specialist II who will walk you through the process. She can be reached at (410) 402-8510.

Again, we wish you much success in your chosen profession.

Respectfully,

Francis X. McLaughlin, Jr.
Executive Director