

title "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways", to follow immediately after Section 187C thereof, to authorize the County Commissioners of Dorchester County to designate truck routes on county roads, relating to the designation of such routes and to provide penalties for violations.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That new Section 187D be and it is hereby added to Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1962 Supplement), title "Motor Vehicles", sub-title "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways", to follow immediately after Section 187C thereof, and to read as follows:

187D. The County Commissioners of Dorchester County by rule or regulation may designate any of the roads and streets under their jurisdiction as "truck routes" for use by trucks and other vehicles of specified weight and/or size, and may exclude trucks and other vehicles of specified weight and/or size from any other designated county roads and streets. The commissioners shall, after adoption of any such rules or regulations, cause to be placed and maintained in conspicuous places along such roads and streets, signs describing the provisions applicable thereto, and no such rules or regulations shall become effective until such signs have been erected. The commissioners may prescribe such penalties not to exceed a fine of \$500 for violation of any rules or regulations adopted pursuant to this section as they deem appropriate. PROVIDING, HOWEVER, THIS ACT DOES NOT APPLY TO VEHICLES OWNED AND OPERATED BY UTILITY COMPANIES IN THE COURSE OF RENDERING SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 17, 1963.

CHAPTER 302

(Senate Bill 522)

AN ACT to add a new Section 134A to the Code of Public Local Laws of Cecil County (1961 Edition, being Article 8 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Cecil County", sub-title "County Commissioners", creating an Economic Development Commission for Cecil County, providing generally for its powers and duties and for the powers and duties of the County Commissioners of Cecil County in respect thereto, and relating generally to economic development in Cecil County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new Section 134A be and it is hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Cecil County (1961 Edition, being Article 8 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Cecil County", sub-title "County Commissioners", to follow immediately after Section 134 thereof and to read as follows:

134A. Economic Development Commission.

(a) The Economic Development Commission of Cecil County is