CHAPTER 365

(House Bill 623)

AN ACT concerning

Driver Licensing Vehicle Laws - Public Records - Digital Images

FOR the purpose of prohibiting public access to the digital photographic image and or signature of an individual, and the stored data thereof, recorded by the Motor Vehicle Administration; providing certain exceptions; exempting certain information from the definition of "public record"; generally relating to driver's license records; and making this Act an emergency measure; and generally relating to access to driver's license records in the form of digital images and data recorded by the Motor Vehicle Administration.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 10-611(f)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 16-117 12-111(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

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

Article - State Government

10-611.

- (f) (1) "Public record" means the original or any copy of any documentary material that:
- (i) is made by a unit or instrumentality of the State government or of a political subdivision or received by the unit or instrumentality in connection with the transaction of public business; and
 - (ii) is in any form, including:
 - 1. a card;
 - 2. a computerized record;
 - 3. correspondence;
 - 4. a drawing;