

court or the defendant shall have the right before entry of judgment, to demand the production of the original cause of action.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1941.

Approved April 23, 1941.

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CHAPTER 351.

(Senate Bill 357)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Licenses", sub-title "Rules of the Road", said new section to be known as Section 239A and to follow immediately after Section 239 of said Article, relating to obedience to official traffic control devices.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Licenses", sub-title "Rules of the Road", said new section to be known as Section 239A, to follow immediately after Section 239 of said Article, and to read as follows:

239A. (a) The State Roads Commission shall place and maintain such traffic control devices, conforming to its manual and specifications, upon all State highways as it deems necessary, to regulate, warn or guide traffic.

(b) In addition to the observance of the regular green, red and amber signals, the following signals shall be observed when installed: Flashing signals: Whenever flashing red or amber signals are used they shall require obedience by vehicular traffic as follows:

(1) Flashing red (stop signal). When a red lens is illuminated by rapid intermittent flashes, drivers of all vehicles shall stop before entering the nearest crosswalk at an intersection or at a limit line when marked, and the right to proceed shall be subject to the rules applicable after making a stop at a stop sign.

(2) Flashing amber (caution signal). When an amber lens is illuminated by rapid intermittent flashes, drivers of all vehicles may proceed through the intersection or pass such signal only with caution.