

EACH OF THE TWO HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, THE SAME SHALL TAKE EFFECT FROM THE DATE OF ITS PASSAGE.

Vetoed by the Governor, April 17, 1957.

Passed over the Governor's Veto, February 5, 1958.

Effective date February 5, 1957.

## CHAPTER 5

(Senate Bill 530)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 363 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Roadside Trees", and Section 89 of Article 89B of said Code, title "State Roads", sub-title "Road Signs", providing that the County Board of Education of Kent ~~County~~ AND QUEEN ANN'S COUNTIES shall be permitted to display signs to provide for the safety of students and display the donor's name thereon and providing further for certain restrictions thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 363 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Roadside Trees", and Section 89 of Article 89B of said Code, title "State Roads", sub-title "Road Signs", be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and all to read as follows:

363. Any person or corporation who in any manner, paints, puts or fixes any advertisement, sign, notice or other writing or printing other than notices posted in pursuance of law, on or to any stone, tree, fence, stump, pole, building or other structure which is in or upon the public highway or which is on the property of another, without first obtaining the written consent of such owner, or who in any manner procures, directs or induces the painting, fixing or placing of any advertisement or sign as aforesaid, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punishable by fine of not more than \$10.00 for each separate offense, which fine shall be payable to the Department of Forests and Parks for the purposes described in this section; provided, however, that the State Roads Commission shall have authority at any time to grant to any person or corporation the right to place advertisements along or upon the public highways of the State, said advertisements, however, to be used only in conjunction with direction or danger signals, and subject to such limitations and restrictions as the State Roads Commission shall impose at the time of the granting of said permit or thereafter, and said permit in no event to be issued unless the need for the direction or danger signals to be erected in connection therewith is clearly demonstrated to the satisfaction of the State Roads Commission, and any person or corporation doing any of the things prohibited by this section under and by virtue of a permit issued to him or it by the State Roads Commission as aforesaid shall be immune from prosecution for the commission of any acts under the terms of

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.