

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved March 24, 1969.

CHAPTER 71
(Senate Bill 209)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 91 (c), 171 (b) and 195 (h) of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Supplement) title "Motor Vehicles," subtitles, "In General," "Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund," and "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways," amending the motor vehicle laws of this State in order to make certain corrections of language and references therein.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 91 (c), 171 (b) and 195 (h) of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Supplement), title "Motor Vehicles," subtitles "In General," "Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund," and "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

91.

(c) Restrictions if blind in right or left eye.—In case applicant is totally blind in either eye and vision in seeing eye is 20/40 or better with or without glasses or contact lenses, the license shall bear this restriction: "Any motor vehicle which the applicant drives shall have a properly placed rear view mirror and an outside, side view mirror on each side of the vehicle." With vision in seeing eye of 20/70 or better with or without glasses or contact lenses, license shall bear this additional restriction: "daylight driving only."

License cannot be issued to persons with vision in one eye only unless such condition has existed for a period of not less than 90 days prior to date of application.

Failure to meet the above requirements precludes the issuance of any driving license.

171.

(b) In an action brought against the [Commissioner] Board pursuant to an order by the court entered in accordance with the provisions of Section 167, the insurer to whom such action has been assigned may settle without court approval any claim involving payment of \$5,000 or less with approval of the chief administrative employee of the Board and any member of the Board satisfied that the claimant has complied with the requirements of Section 167.

195.

(h) Same—Violation.—A violation of any provision of [subsections (g) and (h)] subsection (g) is a misdemeanor, punishable