

accordance with Section 5-205, to increase the designated model year of vehicles for assessment purposes, to exempt certain vehicles from assessments, and to reimburse political subdivisions in accordance with Section 11-1002.2 for expenses incurred in the disposition of abandoned vehicles which are totally destroyed, to allow a unit of government to designate an agent for the removal and disposition of vehicles abandoned from public and private property, and to exempt auto wreckers from retaining vehicles for thirty (30) days for notification procedures for vehicles over eight (8) years old, to increase the amount of the bounty, and to increase the amount of the bounty paid to auto wreckers and scrap processors and generally relating thereto.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section ~~3-803~~ of 3-830 OF ARTICLE 66½ OF the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "Certificates of Title and Registration of Vehicles," be and THEY are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and THAT subsections (b) and (d) of Section 5-203, and Section 5-205 of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Vehicle Laws," THE SAID ARTICLE OF THE CODE, subtitle "Licensing of Dealers, Wreckers, Scrap Processors and Vehicle Salesmen," be and THEY are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and THAT subsections (d) and (f) (5) of Section 11-1002.2 of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Vehicle Laws," THE SAID ARTICLE OF THE CODE, subtitle "Rules of the Road," be and THEY are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and all to read as follows :

3-830.

(A) The [Department] *Administration* shall collect for each certificate of title the sum of two dollars (\$2.00), one dollar (\$1.00) of which may be used for the purpose of administering [] the provisions of [Subtitle 5 of this article, for] *Section 5-205 and subsection (d) of Section 11-1002.2 of this Article.* For vehicles required to be inspected as provided for in Subtitle 13 of this article, the [Department] *Administration* shall collect for each certificate of title the sum of four dollars (\$4.00), two dollars (\$2.00) of which MAY be used for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of Subtitle 13, and one dollar (\$1.00) of which may be used for the purpose of administering the provisions of [Subtitle 5.] *Section 5-205 and subsection (d) of Section 11-1002.2 of this Article.*

The fees collected herein for the purpose of administering the provisions of Section 5-205 and subsection (d) of Section 11-1002.2 of this Article shall go into a Special Fund in the State Treasury known as the Abandoned Vehicles Fund. All sums received by the Treasurer pursuant to the provisions of this section shall become part of the fund, and shall be held by the Treasurer in trust for carrying out the purpose of Section 5-205 and subsection (d) of Section 11-1002.2 of this Article. Whenever the State Treasurer finds that monies in the Abandoned Vehicles Fund are in excess of reserves likely to be needed for the purpose thereof, he may transfer the excess to the Transportation Trust Fund as provided