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(A) ANY PERSON WHO, BECAUSE OF A PERMANENT PHYSICAL HANDICAP, MUST USE A WHEELCHAIR AS A MEANS OF SELF-TRANSPORTATION, MAY APPLY TO THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION FOR A PERMIT ON A FORM AND ACCORDING TO RULES AND PROCEDURES PRESCRIBED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR, FOR THE RESERVATION OF ONE PARKING SPACE AT THE CURB, SIDE, OR EDGE OF THE ROADWAY OF THE PUBLIC HIGHWAY IN FRONT OR ADJACENT TO HIS DWELLING HOUSE, FOR PURPOSES OF ALLOWING THE HANDICAPPED PERSON TO ENTER OR LEAVE WITH RELATIVE CONVENIENCE AND SAFETY HIS OR ANOTHER PERSONS'S MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH HE IS AN OPERATOR OR PASSENGER.

(B) UPON ISSUANCE OF A PERMIT, THE HANDICAPPED PERSON SHALL AFFIX THE PERMIT TO HIS AUTOMOBILE IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE.

(C) AFTER A PERMIT HAS BEEN ISSUED, THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL NOTIFY THE STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF THE PERMIT. WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THIS NOTIFICATION, THE STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION SHALL PLACE AND MAINTAIN, OR CAUSE TO BE PLACED AND MAINTAINED, A WELL-SECURED, UPRIGHT SIGN OR SIGNS AT THE APPROPRIATE LOCATION EXCEPT THOSE LOCATIONS IN BALTIMORE CITY, WHICH INDICATES THE RESERVED SPACE AND PROHIBITS PARKING OF VEHICLES IN THE RESERVED SPACE. THE SIGN OR SIGNS SHALL ALSO CONTAIN A CLEAR AND EASILY RECOGNIZABLE REPRESENTATION OF A WHEEL CHAIR. FURTHER, THE STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION SHALL PAINT, OR CAUSE TO BE PAINTED, A RED LINE, IN AN APPROPRIATE LENGTH TO COVER THE RESERVED SPACE FOR ONE PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLE ON THE CURB, EDGE OR SIDE OF THE ROADWAY WITHIN THE RESERVED SPACE.

(D) THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE MOTOR VEHICLES ADMINISTRATION MAY PROMULGATE RULES AND REGULATIONS AS NECESSARY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1973.

Approved May 21, 1973.

CHAPTER 465

(Senate Bill 1013)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 59 of Article 77A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (||1969 Replacement Volume and|| 1972 Supplement), title "Higher Education," subtitle "Scholarships," to amend the laws concerning the State scholarship program and the awarding of scholarships with particular respect to the creating of scholarships for teachers of persons