

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

Approved May 21, 1973.

CHAPTER 597

(House Bill 1041)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 11-1110 of Article 66-1/2 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "Subtitle 11. Rules of the Road," subheading "Part XI. Miscellaneous Rules," to prohibit any vehicle from being driven over fire hoses when such hoses are [used during any disaster, catastrophe, riot or other public emergency] laid down on any street or private driveway without the consent of certain officials.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 11-1110 of Article 66-1/2 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "Subtitle 11. Rules of the Road," subheading "Part XI. Miscellaneous Rules," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

11-1110.

No vehicle shall be driven over any unprotected hose of a fire department when laid down on any street or private driveway [I, to be used at any fire or alarm of fire OR DURING ANY DISASTER, CATASTROPHE, RIOT, OR PUBLIC EMERGENCY,] without the consent of the fire department official in command.

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

Approved May 21, 1973.

CHAPTER 598

(House Bill 1052)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 3-403.1(d) of Article 66-1/2 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "3. Certificates of Title and Registration of Vehicles," subheading "Part IV. Registration of Vehicles," to provide that the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, may decide whether subsection (d) shall apply and remove the prohibition against the Prince George's County Treasurer being an agent for the Department in the registration of vehicles.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 3-403.1(d) of Article 66-1/2 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "3. Certificates of Title and Registration of Vehicles," subheading