CHAPTER 462

(House Bill 725)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Duplicate License

FOR the purpose of requiring a person whose license is lost, mutilated or destroyed to immediately apply for a duplicate license and defining mutilated.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 66 1/2 - Vehicle Laws Section 6-114(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 6-114(a) of Article 66 1/2 - Vehicle Laws, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 66 1/2 - Vehicle Laws

6-114.

(a) If a license issued under the provisions of this subtitle is mutilated, lost, or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued [upon] SHALL MAKE IMMEDIATE APPLICATION FOR A DUPLICATE OF THE LICENSE AND MAY OBTAIN IT AFTER furnishing proof satisfactory to the Department that the license has been mutilated, lost, or destroyed, [shall obtain a duplicate or substitute thereof upon payment of] AND AFTER PAYING the required fee. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION MUTILATED MEANS ANY IMPERFECTION OF OR IN A LICENSE, AFTER ITS ISSUANCE IN A PERFECT STATE, WHICH RENDERS IT UNSUITABLE FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES OR FOR VERIFYING ITS AUTHENTICITY AND VALIDITY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1974.

Approved April 30, 1974.