

(B) ALL WORK DONE BY AN AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR FACILITY, INCLUDING ALL WARRANTY WORK, SHALL BE RECORDED ON AN INVOICE DESCRIBING ALL SERVICE WORK AND PARTS SUPPLIED. THE INVOICE SHALL CLEARLY STATE IF ANY USED, REBUILT OR RECONDITIONED PARTS HAVE BEEN SUPPLIED, OR IF A PART OF A COMPONENT SYSTEM SUPPLIED IS COMPOSED OF REBUILT OR RECONDITIONED PARTS. UPON SIGNING THE INVOICE, THE CUSTOMER SHALL BE GIVEN A COPY AND A COPY SHALL BE RETAINED BY THE AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR FACILITY.

(C) THE AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR FACILITY SHALL RETURN REPLACED PARTS TO THE CUSTOMER EXCEPT PARTS REQUIRED TO BE RETURNED TO THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR UNDER A WARRANTY AGREEMENT OR PARTS DISPOSED OF WITH THE ORAL OR WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE CUSTOMER.

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NOTHING IN THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBHEADING SHALL PROHIBIT ANY INDIVIDUAL FROM BRINGING AN INDIVIDUAL CIVIL ACTION IN LAW OR EQUITY AGAINST ANY AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR FACILITY FOR DAMAGES SUSTAINED BY THAT INDIVIDUAL. ANY ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDY NEED NOT FIRST BE EXHAUSTED. IN THE CASE OF ANY SUCCESSFUL ACTION BROUGHT FOR VIOLATION OF THIS SUBHEADING, THE COURT MAY, WHERE WARRANTED AND IN ITS SOLE DISCRETION, AWARD THE INDIVIDUAL THE COSTS OF THE ACTION. [[TOGETHER WITH REASONABLE ATTORNEY'S FEES, AS DETERMINED BY THE COURT. HOWEVER, NO PLAINTIFF MAY RECOVER ATTORNEY'S FEES UNDER THIS SECTION FOR TIME OR EFFORT EXPENDED AFTER THE DEFENDANT MAKES A REASONABLE AND TIMELY OFFER IN SETTLEMENT OF THE DISPUTE, AND UNLESS PLAINTIFF FIRST SOUGHT TO UTILIZE ANY INFORMAL DISPUTE SETTLEMENT MECHANISM WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED BY THE AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR FACILITY. ]]

SECTION [[3]] 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1974.

Approved May 31, 1974.

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CHAPTER 696

(House Bill 6)

AN ACT concerning

Police Training Commission and Schools

FOR the purpose of requiring all deputy sheriffs[[, except in Baltimore City, ]] to attend an approved