

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 6-106.1 be and it is hereby added to Article 66-1/2 - Vehicle Laws, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 66-1/2 - Vehicle Laws

6-106.1

(A) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL PROVIDE A METHOD PERMITTING A PERSON MAKING APPLICATION FOR A LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION CARD, OR RENEWAL THEREOF, TO DESIGNATE THAT HE OR SHE, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT OF THE ANNOTATED CODE, IS A DONOR OF ALL BODY ORGANS OR PARTS FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSPLANTATION, THERAPY, MEDICAL RESEARCH OR EDUCATION UPON HIS OR HER DEATH.

(B) UPON SUCH DESIGNATION, THE ADMINISTRATION MAY MAKE A SUITABLE NOTATION UPON THE LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION CARD INDICATING THAT THE PERSON IS A DONOR.

(C) THE DESIGNATION SHALL CONSTITUTE SUFFICIENT LEGAL AUTHORITY FOR THE REMOVAL OF A BODY ORGAN OR PART UPON THE PERSON'S DEATH AND THE DESIGNATION SHALL BE REMOVED ONLY UPON [[30 DAYS]] WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE ADMINISTRATION BY THE DONOR.

(D) AT THE TIME THE PROSPECTIVE DONOR AUTHORIZES THE DESIGNATION TO APPEAR ON HIS LICENSE, HE SHALL BE NOTIFIED THAT THE DESIGNATION CAN BE REMOVED ONLY UPON WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE ADMINISTRATION.

[[ (D) ]] (E) FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, LICENSE SHALL NOT INCLUDE ANY TEMPORARY LICENSE OR INSTRUCTION AND EXAMINATION LICENSE.

[[ (E) ]] (F) NO DESIGNATION MAY BE NOTED UPON THE LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD OF ANY PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS.

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

Approved May 31, 1974.