

Commissioner shall in like manner prepare and certify a transcript of the files in his office pertaining to such matter. Within [thirty (30)] 30 days after the copy of notice of appeal was filed with the Commissioner he shall file the official record with the court in which the appeal is pending.

When any ruling, order or decision of the Commissioner relates to an increase or decrease of premiums or rate or to a change in any rating system, the filing of the notice of appeal [shall], pending the final determination of the issue, SHALL act as a stay of any such ruling, order or decision, except where such ruling, order or decision approves or permits a filing of an insurer or rating organization.

The Baltimore City Court shall hear and decide [said] THE appeal within [sixty (60)] 60 days after the date of the filing of the notice of appeal, and shall affirm, reverse or modify the Commissioner's order or decision appealed from.

If the Baltimore City Court finds that the Commissioner's order or decision is not supported by the preponderance of the evidence on consideration of the record as a whole, or is not in accordance with law, the court shall reverse or modify the Commissioner's order or decision in whole or in part.

An appeal to the Court of Appeals of Maryland may be taken from the decision of the Baltimore City Court as in other civil cases. THE COMMISSIONER SHALL BE MADE A PARTY TO EVERY APPEAL OF THIS NATURE.

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

Approved May 31, 1974.

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CHAPTER 749

(House Bill 845)

AN ACT concerning

Motor Vehicle Accidents - Highways and Other Areas

FOR the purpose of ~~[[specifying]]~~ specifying a cross-reference to certain rules of the road, with an exception, among the provisions relating to