AND IMPLEMENTING THIS SUBTITLE, PREPARE AND DISTRIBUTE MATERIALS INFORMING THE PUBLIC OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE AND THE REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THERBUNDER, AND REQUIRE ALL PERSONS LICENSED TO SELL OR RENT BICYCLES TO DISPLAY ON THEIR BUSINESS PREMISES INFORMATION RELATING THERETO.

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- (A) FOR A PERIOD OF NOT MORE THAN 12 CONSECUTIVE HOURS, ANY BICYCLIST MAY SECURE A BICYCLE TO A POLE, METER, OR OTHER DEVICE LOCATED ON A PUBLIC SIDEWALK EXCEPT:
- (1) TO A FIRE HYDRANT, POLICE OR FIRE CALL BOX, OR TRAPPIC SIGNAL DEVICE;
- (2) TO ANY POLE, METER OR DEVICE LOCATED WITHIN A BUS OR TAXI LOADING ZONE;
- (3) TO ANY POLE, METER OR DEVICE WITHIN 25 FEET OF ANY INTERSECTION;
- (4) TO ANY POLE, METER OR DEVICE UPON WHICH NOTICE HAS BEEN POSTED BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES FORBIDDING THE SECURING OF BICYCLES;
- (5) TO ANY DEVICE WHICH WOULD THEN OBSTRUCT OR IMPEDE VEHICULAR TRAFFIC OR PEDESTRIAN MOVEMENT.
- (B) ANY BICYCLE SECURED TO A PARKING METER IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (A) MAY DO SO WITHOUT PAYMENT OF THE USUAL FEES THEREFOR, IF THE BICYCLE IS ENTIRELY REMOVED FROM THE BED OF THE STREET NORMALLY USED FOR VEHICULAR PARKING.

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ANY PERSON, INCLUDING THE STATE OR ANY STATE AGENCY OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, WHO OPERATES A PARKING LOT OR OTHER FACILITY FOR THE STORAGE OF MOTOR VEHICLES OR WHO RENTS SPACE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PARKING MOTOR VEHICLES, SHALL PROVIDE FACILITIES OR SPACE SUITABLE FOR THE PARKING OR STORAGE OF BICYCLES, AND PROVIDE CARE AND PROTECTION FOR THE BICYCLES COMPARABLE TO THAT PROVIDED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES, AT A PRICE COMPARABLE TO THAT CHARGED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES.]

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 66 1/2 - Vehicle Laws Section 1-104, 11-1103, and 11-1202 through 11-1206, inclusive Annotated Code of Maryland