

highways[, provided, however, the] AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES UNDER THIS SECTION. HOWEVER, THE regulations [shall] MAY not modify or enlarge the height, width, length, and weight of vehicles [now or hereafter] authorized by law to use the highways of the State. The [Commission] ADMINISTRATION, with the concurrence of the [Department of] Maryland State Police, may adopt reasonable penalties for the violation of the rules and regulations. The minimum penalty for each violation [shall be a fine of \$10.00] IS A \$10 FINE and the maximum penalty for each violation [shall be \$100.00] IS A \$100 FINE.

(d) Before the rules and regulations become effective they shall be advertised once a week for two weeks in two newspapers of general circulation in the State [and the]. THE advertisement [, in addition to setting] SHALL SET forth the rules and regulations[, shall] AND set a time and place of a public hearing [thereon] ON THEM. After the hearing before the [Commission] ADMINISTRATION, or its duly designated representatives, the [Commission] ADMINISTRATION shall adopt the rules and regulations or modifications [thereto] TO THEM as appropriate. The [Commission] ADMINISTRATION, with the concurrence with the State Police, may change, modify, or amend the regulations [but] only after due notice and a hearing [thereon] ON THEM is held as [above prescribed.] PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1976.

Approved May 17, 1976.

CHAPTER 672

(House Bill 730)

AN ACT concerning

Motor Vehicle Revenues - Enforcement Expenses

FOR the purpose of enabling the Comptroller to deduct from motor vehicle revenue certain expenses for enforcing provisions relating to weight, height, width, and length of motor vehicles, road taxes on motor carriers, motor fuel fraud; and making technical and stylistic changes, and fuel tax fraud.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,