

## §16-117(a) and (c).

Subsection (a) of this section, which is derived from present §16-117(c), is revised to clarify its intended, limited application to violations of ordinances and regulations adopted by political subdivisions and State agencies under Subtitle 3 of this title. Notwithstanding the present, general reference to "parking violations", it was not intended to exclude violations of Title 21, Subtitle 10 of this article, "Stopping, Standing, and Parking", or other like provisions of the Maryland Vehicle Law.

In subsection (b) of this section, the present reference to the power of the Administration to determine the form of "complaint or warrant" is deleted as obsolete.

As to required contents of a traffic citation, see §26-205 of this title.

## 26-407. DISPOSITION AND RECORDS OF TRAFFIC CITATIONS.

(A) CERTAIN PARKING VIOLATION PROVISIONS NOT AFFECTED.

THIS SECTION DOES NOT AFFECT OR MODIFY THE PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBTITLE 3 OF THIS TITLE AS TO VIOLATIONS OF PARKING ORDINANCES OR REGULATIONS ADOPTED UNDER THAT SUBTITLE.

(B) DUTY OF OFFICER ISSUING CITATION.

EACH POLICE OFFICER WHO ISSUES A TRAFFIC CITATION TO AN ALLEGED VIOLATOR OF ANY STATE OR LOCAL LAW SHALL:

(1) FILE THE ORIGINAL COPY OF THE CITATION PROMPTLY WITH THE DISTRICT COURT; AND

(2) DISPOSE OF THE OTHER COPIES OF THE CITATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

(C) DISPOSITION OF CITATION FILED WITH COURT.

AFTER THE ORIGINAL COPY OF A TRAFFIC CITATION IS FILED WITH THE DISTRICT COURT, THE CITATION MAY BE DISPOSED OF ONLY BY:

(1) TRIAL, DISMISSAL OF THE CHARGES, OR OTHER OFFICIAL ACTION BY A JUDGE OF THE COURT;

(2) FORFEITURE OF THE COLLATERAL, IF AUTHORIZED BY THE COURT; OR

(3) PAYMENT OF A FINE BY THE PERSON TO WHOM