

proposed act, ordinance, or resolution, shall be published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the county once each week for [three] TWO successive weeks. This subsection is not applicable in Kent County, nor is it applicable to any administrative act or resolution adopted by the county commissioners of Dorchester, Harford, or St. Mary's County. This subsection shall apply to Washington County. For purposes of this subsection, "ordinance" means a permanent rule of law enacted by the county commissioners, and "resolution" means a formal expression of the opinion of an official body.

4.

(a) A copy of all acts, ordinances, and resolutions adopted or passed by the county commissioners of any county under the authority of § 3, certified by the president of the board of county commissioners and attested by the clerk to said board, shall be filed with the clerk of the court of said county, who shall record, DATE, and index the same without charge in a volume to be provided for the purpose by the county commissioners.

(b) [No] AN act, ordinance, or resolution [shall] ADOPTED OR PASSED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY NOT become effective until a copy thereof [shall have] HAS been filed with the clerk of the court of the county, AND A FAIR SUMMARY OF THE ACT, ORDINANCE, OR RESOLUTION HAS BEEN PUBLISHED, AFTER ADOPTION OR PASSAGE, IN AT LEAST ONE NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE COUNTY. Any act, ordinance, or resolution filed as herein required, shall be admissible as evidence in any court proceeding upon certification by the said clerk of the court.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 29, 1977.

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CHAPTER 210

(Senate Bill 813)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Corrective

FOR the purpose of correcting certain references in the law relating to special equipment on school vehicles and to the weighing and measuring of vehicles.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,