

(House Bill 2095)

AN ACT concerning

Registration of School Vehicles

FOR the purpose of providing that when a Type I school vehicle is operated with approval from a board of education in any county or the City of Baltimore to provide transportation for persons a certain age or older to civic, educational, social, or recreational activities it may display "school bus" registration plates and is not required to display "school charter" plates, and to specify the registration fees that apply.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 13-420(b) and 13-932

Annotated Code of Maryland

(As enacted by Chapter _____ of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1977)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 13-420(b) and 13-932 of Article - Transportation, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (As enacted by Chapter _____ of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1977) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article - Transportation

13-420.

(b) (1) If it is only operated for the transportation of children, students, or teachers for educational purposes or in connection with a school activity OR IF IT IS OPERATED, WITH APPROVAL FROM A BOARD OF EDUCATION IN ANY COUNTY ~~OR THE CITY OF BALTIMORE~~, TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION FOR PERSONS 60 YEARS OF AGE OLD OR OLDER TO CIVIC, EDUCATIONAL, SOCIAL, OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES, a Type I school vehicle (school bus) shall:

(i) display distinctive "school bus" registration plates issued by the Administration; and

(ii) comply with all the requirements of the Maryland Vehicle Law and the regulations of the Administration that relate to a Type I school vehicle.

(2) If it is operated for any purpose in addition to [the transportation of children, students, or teachers for educational purposes or in connection with a school activity] ~~THOSE SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (B) PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SECTION~~ ~~SUBSECTION (B) PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SECTION~~, a Type I school vehicle (school bus) shall display distinctive "school