

shall be imposed as additional cost, in the case, in addition to any other costs required to be imposed by law, the sum of [five dollars (\$5)] \$5. All such sums shall be paid over to the Comptroller of the State to be deposited in the general funds of the State. Under no condition shall a political subdivision be held liable for the payment of this sum of [five dollars (\$5)] \$5. "Crime" as used in this section does not include violations of [Article 66 1/2 (Motor Vehicles), or] THE MARYLAND VEHICLE LAW, VIOLATIONS OF the Agriculture or Natural Resources articles of this Code, or violations of State or local building, health, and sanitation codes.

SECTION 8. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 36F(d), 233, 297(g) and (w), 469(a) and (b), 594B(h), 717, 721, 722, 723, 724, and 726, and 743(e) of Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

36F.

(b) The term "vehicle" as used in this subheading shall include any motor vehicle, as defined in [Article 66 1/2, § 1-149 of the Annotated Code of Maryland] TITLE 11 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE, trains, aircraft, and vessels.

233.

Any person, copartnership or corporation, or any member, officer, agent or employee of any copartnership or corporation, who shall violate any provision of this subtitle, shall have the right to demand and receive a [summons in the same manner] CITATION as [is] provided in [Article 66 1/2, § 16-109 of the Annotated Code of Maryland] TITLE 26 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE and be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punishable by a fine of not more than [five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00)] \$5,000, or by imprisonment for not more than [six (6)] 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. In addition, the Comptroller of the Treasury may suspend or revoke any license or registration required under Article 56 to make sales of motor vehicle fuels and heating oils, for a period not to exceed [thirty (30)] 30 days.

297.

(g) Upon the seizure of a motor vehicle and the recommendation for forfeiture, the State's attorney for the county or City of Baltimore where the seizure is made shall notify the MOTOR VEHICLE Administrator [of Motor Vehicles] by certified mail of the seizure and of the motor or [serial] VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION number of the