pertaining to offenses involving death or personal injury and offenses under §21-902 of the Transportation Article, and data pertaining to certain violations of local ordinances, State and local regulations, and violations of the Natural Resources Article.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments Section 743(e) (4) Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1977 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

743.

- (e) "Criminal history record information" means data initiated or collected by a criminal justice agency on a person pertaining to a reportable event. The term does not include:
- (4) Data pertaining to violations of the traffic laws of the State or any other traffic law, ordinance, or regulation[, except offenses involving death or injury to a person, or offenses under § 21-902 of the Transportation Article], OR VIOLATIONS OF ANY LOCAL ORDINANCES, OR ANY STATE OR LOCAL REGULATIONS, OR VIOLATIONS OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES ARTICLE, UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL IS ARRESTED ON A BENCH WARRANT ISSUED FOR FAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT OR OBEY A COURT ORDER FOR ANY SUCH VIOLATION, OR UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL IS COMMITTED TO A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY UPON CONVICTION FOR ANY SUCH VIOLATION;

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978 is declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, it shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 2, 1978.

CHAPTER 330

(House Bill 321)