

~~(E) UPON CONVICTION, WITHIN 18 MONTHS, OF A THIRD OR SUBSEQUENT VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION, THE FINE SHALL BE TRIPLE THAT IMPOSED BY SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, AND THE VEHICLE IN VIOLATION SHALL BE IMPOUNDED FOR 60 DAYS.~~

[(e)] ~~(F)~~ (e) (1) If the vehicle being operated at the time the offense is committed is registered outside of this State, or if the person responsible for the violation or the person operating the vehicle is a nonresident of this State, further proceedings shall be had as to the person under Title 26 of this article or the vehicle shall be impounded until the fine is paid or acceptable collateral posted.

(2) The impounding of the vehicle does not include the cargo, and the cargo may not be held.

(3) If, after 90 days from the date the vehicle was impounded, the fine has not been paid or acceptable collateral posted, the vehicle may be sold at public auction under the jurisdiction of the court to satisfy the fine, accrued interest, and costs.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect contingent on the enactment into law of either House Bill 231 or Senate Bill 85 of the 1980 Session of the General Assembly. If neither House Bill 231 nor Senate Bill 85 is enacted into law, this Act shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.

SECTION 2 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 20, 1980.

CHAPTER 655

(House Bill 1584)

AN ACT concerning

Public Works - Contractors

FOR the purpose of changing to a certain amount the value of certain public works contracts as to which certain requirements apply; providing that certain forms of security other than a payment or performance bond may be provided by certain contractors under certain conditions; providing certain formal, filing, and copy distribution requirements as to certain forms of security other than bonds; exempting certain persons