

(B) THE DEPARTMENT MAY ALSO SUBPOENA ANY DOCUMENT THAT IS NECESSARY FOR THE VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT OF A PROPERTY, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF HOMESTEAD PROPERTY AS DEFINED IN SECTION 14A, UNDER THIS ARTICLE. IF A PERSON FAILS TO COMPLY WITH A SUBPOENA ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY PROCEED AGAINST THE PERSON AS PROVIDED UNDER § 231 OF THIS ARTICLE.

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

Approved April 22, 1980.

CHAPTER 195

(House Bill 815)

AN ACT concerning

Removing Outdoor Signs on Highways

FOR the purpose of ~~prohibiting the payment of compensation for any outdoor sign erected after July 1, 1975 in violation of statutory provisions governing outdoor advertising along federal aid primary highways~~, requiring that just compensation be paid by the State Highway Administration prior to the removal by a county or municipality of certain outdoor signs which are adjacent to a federal aid primary or interstate highway and which were lawfully erected and maintained under State law and in existence or in litigation on or after a certain date; and establishing conditions for the expenditure of State funds.

BY adding to

Article - Transportation
Section ~~8-735(e) and (d) and 8-743(d)~~ 8-737 and 8-745
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1977 Volume and 1979 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 - Transportation

~~8-735~~ 8-737.

~~{c}--COMPENSATION--MAY--NOT--BE--PAID--FOR--ANY--OUTDOOR--SIGN--ERECTED--AFTER--JULY--17--1975--IN--VIOLATION--OF--THIS--PART.~~