- (C) AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO A CRIMINAL ACTION AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT OR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE, AS APPROPRIATE, OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY BRING A CIVIL ACTION AGAINST ANY PERSON FOR ANY VIOLATION OF THIS SUBTITLE. THE ACTION MAY SEEK THE IMPOSITION OF A CIVIL PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000 AGAINST THE PERSON, AN INJUNCTION TO PROHIBIT THE PERSON FROM CONTINUING THE VIOLATION OR BOTH.
- (D) FOR PURPOSES OF A CIVIL ACTION BROUGHT UNDER SUBSECTION (C), EACH DAY DURING WHICH A VIOLATION CONTINUES CONSTITUTES A SEPARATE OFFENSE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved June 1, 1982.

CHAPTER 683

(House Bill 1092)

AN ACT concerning

Motor Vehicles - Disabled Individuals - Registration Numbers

FOR the purpose of allowing certain classes of vehicles to obtain a special registration number if the vehicles are used exclusively for the purpose of transporting handicapped or disabled individuals.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation Section 13-616(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1977 Volume and 1981 Supplement)

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

Article - Transportation

13-616.

(a) (1) The owner of any vehicle described in paragraph (2) of this subsection may apply to the