WHEREAS, Chapters 869 and 887 were thereby in conflict; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 887, being the last of the two to be enacted, prevails in statutory construction; and

WHEREAS, It was the intention of the General Assembly to provide that the removal of an insurance premium discount is not a violation of Insurance Code provisions regarding the setting of rates; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 48A - Insurance Code

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(c) All rates shall be made in accordance with the following principles:

(7) (i) No insurer under an automobile liability insurance policy may classify or maintain an insured in a classification entailing a higher premium because of a specific claim for a period longer than three years, and no such insurer may classify or maintain an insured in a classification entailing a higher premium because of the insured's driving record for a period longer than three years. HOWEVER THE REMOVAL OF A DISCOUNT MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED A VIOLATION OF THIS SUBSECTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 24, 1983.

CHAPTER 350

(Senate Bill 618)

AN ACT concerning

Tax Increment Financing - Disbursement of Amounts Retained

FOR the purpose of permitting certain moneys in a special fund for a development district created by the "Tax Increment Financing Act" to be paid to the municipality or county that created the development district to be used for any legal purpose to the extent that the moneys exceed the unpaid debt service with respect to bonds issued by the development