- (h)--In-Somerset, FREDERICK, and-Dorehester--counties,--this section-does-not-apply:
- -{-(i) In Frederick County, the board of county commissioners shall prescribe by ordinance or resolution the manner in which the powers, duties, and responsibilities placed within its jurisdiction and control by this section shall be exercised.-}- AN AWARD GRANTED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR DAMAGES MAY NOT EXCEED \$300.

SECTION-2:--AND-BE--IT--FURTHER--ENACTED;--That--Section(s)
198(j)--through--(l);--respectively;-of-Article-56---Licenses;-of
the-Annotated-Code-of-Maryland-be--renumbered--to--be--Section(s)
198(i)-through-(k);-respectively:

SECTION 3 $\underline{2}$. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 24, 1983.

CHAPTER 456

(House Bill 830)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Chemical Test Refusal

FOR the purpose of altering certain requirements for filing certain sworn statements with the Motor Vehicle Administration after certain individuals are detained and refuse to take a certain chemical test for alcohol.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation Section 16-205.1(b) Annotated Code of Maryland (1977 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

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

Article - Transportation

16-205.1.

(b) (1) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, a person may not be compelled to take a chemical test