- (C) (1) A RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY MAY DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF A SEPARATELY STATED FEE IT WILL CHARGE TO RECOVER COSTS DESCRIBED UNDER SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION. PROVIDED THAT THE RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY DOES NOT INTEND TO RECOVER AN AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF THE COSTS IT ACTUALLY INCURS.
- (2) IF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE FEES COLLECTED BY A RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY UNDER THIS SECTION DURING A 12-MONTH PERIOD EXCEEDS THE RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY'S ACTUAL TITLING AND REGISTRATION COSTS INCURRED DURING THE SAME 12-MONTH PERIOD, THE RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY SHALL:
  - (1) (1) RETAIN THE EXCESS AMOUNT; AND
- (2) (II) ADJUST THE ESTIMATED AVERAGE PER DAY PER VEHICLE TITLING AND RECISTRATION CHARGE FOR THE FOLLOWING 12-MONTH PERIOD BY A CORRESPONDING AMOUNT.
- (D) IF A RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY ADVERTISES THE RENTAL RATE FOR A VEHICLE AVAILABLE FOR RENT IN THE STATE, THE FEE FEES AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE ADVERTISED PRICE, UNLESS THE ADVERTISEMENT CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY DISCLOSES THE MAXIMUM DAILY AMOUNT OF THE FEE CLEARLY DISCLOSED IN THE ADVERTISEMENT.
- (E) (1) THE SEPARATELY STATED FEE AUTHORIZED FOR RECOVERY OF COSTS DESCRIBED UNDER SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE DESCRIBED IN THE RENTAL AGREEMENT AS:

"THE ESTIMATED AVERAGE PER DAY PER VEHICLE PORTION OF THE RENTAL COMPANY'S TOTAL ANNUAL TITLING AND REGISTRATION COSTS".

(2) A RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY SHALL POST THE STATEMENT REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION ON THE RENTAL VEHICLE COMPANY'S WEBSITE, IF ANY, FOR CONSUMERS PARTICIPATING IN AN EXTENDED RENTAL PROGRAM UNDER A MASTER RENTAL AGREEMENT.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2006.

Enacted May 26, 2006.

## CHAPTER 546

(Senate Bill 903)

AN ACT concerning

## Calvert County - County Officials - Salaries

FOR the purpose of altering the salaries of the County Commissioners of Calvert County, Calvert County Treasurer, Sheriff of Calvert County, and Orphans'