licensed and regularly practicing veterinarian; or (3) on which hunting dogs, are housed, if the buying, selling, trading or breeding is incidental to the main purposes of housing, keeping and using dogs. In Baltimore City the provisions of this section shall be enforced by the Baltimore City Health Department. In Baltimore County, the provisions of this section shall be enforced by the Baltimore County bureau of animal control OR BY AN ORGANIZATION APPROVED BY THE BALTIMORE COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1985.

Approved May 21, 1985.

CHAPTER 483

(House Bill 1696)

AN ACT concerning

Controlled Dangerous Substances - Petition for Forfeiture - Motor Vehicles

FOR the purpose of clarifying a provision relating to the sending of copies of a petition for forfeiture of a motor vehicle, seized in the seizure of controlled dangerous substances, to certain parties noted in the records of the Motor Vehicle Administration.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments Section 297(h)(1) Annotated Code of Maryland (1982 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

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

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

297.

(h) (1) If the State's Attorney determines after the recommendation of the chief law enforcement officer of the police department, bureau, or force that seized the motor vehicle that the motor vehicle should be forfeited to the State, the State's Attorney, within 45 days after the seizure of the motor vehicle, shall: