- (II) IS FOR SALE TO ANY QUALIFIED PERSON AT A REASONABLE PRICE; OR
- (2) OPERATES A DEALERSHIP IN A BONA FIDE RELATIONSHIP IN WHICH AN INDEPENDENT PERSON:
- (I) HAS MADE A SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT, SUBJECT TO LOSS, IN THE DEALERSHIP; AND
- (II) CAN REASONABLY EXPECT TO ACQUIRE FULL OWNERSHIP OF THE DEALERSHIP UNDER REASONABLE TERMS AND CONDITIONS.
- (F) A MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR, OR A PERSON WHO IS ACTING FOR A PARTNERSHIP OR CORPORATION THAT IS OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY OR UNDER COMMON CONTROL WITH A MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR, MAY NOT SELL A NEW VEHICLE TO A RETAIL BUYER.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may not be construed to apply to any dealership operated by a manufacturer or distributor under Title 15, Subtitle 3 of the Transportation Article on January 1, 1986.
- $\underline{\text{SECTION}}$  3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  $\underline{\text{effect July}}$  1, 1986.

Approved May 27, 1986.

## CHAPTER 676

(Senate Bill 547)

AN ACT concerning

Controlled Dangerous Substances - Sentencing

FOR the purpose of permitting a court to suspend a portion of the prison sentence of certain defendants guilty of a subsequent violation of certain controlled dangerous substances laws that are subject to mandatory sentencing, but not below the mandatory sentence.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments Section 286 Annotated Code of Maryland (1982 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)