

VETOES

Article - Transportation
Section 21-1004.1 ~~and 21-1121~~
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1984 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

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

Article - Transportation

21-1004.1.

(A) A PERSON MAY NOT LEAVE AN--ANIMAL A CAT OR DOG UNATTENDED IN A STANDING OR PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE IN A MANNER THAT ~~WOULD-ENDANGER~~ ENDANGERS THE-ANIMAL'S-HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE. THE HEALTH OR SAFETY OF THE CAT OR DOG.

(B) A PERSON MAY USE REASONABLE FORCE TO REMOVE FROM A MOTOR VEHICLE AN--ANIMAL A CAT OR DOG LEFT IN THE VEHICLE IN VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION IF THE PERSON IS:

(1) A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER;

(2) A PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE OR OF A LOCAL GOVERNING BODY;

(3) AN ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE STATE OR A LOCAL GOVERNING BODY; OR

(4) AN OFFICER OF A SOCIETY OR ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS, AUTHORIZED TO MAKE ARRESTS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 27, § 63 OF THE CODE-- ; OR

(5) A VOLUNTEER OR PROFESSIONAL OF A FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE.

(C) A PERSON DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION MAY NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES DIRECTLY RESULTING FROM ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.

~~21-1121-~~

~~A PERSON MAY NOT TRANSPORT AN--ANIMAL--IN--A--MOTOR--VEHICLE UNLESS:~~

~~(1)--THE--MOTOR-VEHICLE-IS-FULLY-ENCLOSED-ON-THE-SIDES AND-ON-THE-TOPT, OR~~