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CHAPTER 140

(Senate Bill 122)

AN ACT concerning

Transportation - Commuter Rail Service

FOR the purpose of providing that the Department of Transportation shall continue to operate certain commuter rail lines at certain levels of service; and making certain technical changes.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation Section 3-217 Annotated Code of Maryland (1977 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

3 - 217.

- (a) The Department of Transportation shall continue to operate the following commuter rail lines at [their present or expanded] levels of service AT LEAST EQUIVALENT TO THE LEVEL OF SERVICE ESTABLISHED AS OF JULY 1, 1981:
- (1) The [Baltimore and Ohio] CSX line between Brunswick and the District of Columbia;
- (2) The [Conrail] AMTRAK line between Penn Station in Baltimore and the District of Columbia; and
- $\,$ (3) The [Baltimore and Ohio] CSX line between Camden Station in Baltimore and the District of Columbia.
- (b) The Department of Transportation shall recover at least 50 percent of total operating costs for all commuter rail operations under its control from fares and operating revenues.