- (3) The funds provided for under this section shall be independent of, separate from, and in addition to any other State aid.
- (c) The State Department of Education shall include in its annual budget funds for its administrative costs that are related to the driver education program.

Chapter 972 of the Acts of 1977, as amended by Chapter 220 of the Acts of 1979, and Chapters 299 and 321 of the Acts of 1983

[SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 16-508 of Article - Transportation, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (As enacted by Chapter ____ of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1977) be and it is hereby repealed:]

Article - Education

7-412.

(a) (1) Each county board may offer instruction in the safe operation of a motor vehicle to high school students who are 15 years old or older.

7-412.1.

- [(a) (1)] The General Assembly shall continue to evaluate the cost effectiveness of the driver education program in this State and the validity of continuing State support of this program.
- [(2) If no action to the contrary is taken by the General Assembly by July 1, 1989, § 7-412 of this subtitle is repealed and subsection (b) of this section is effective, both to take effect July 1, 1990.
- (b) Each county board may provide a program of driver education to eligible students in accordance with the provisions of Title 16, Subtitle 5 of the Transportation Article.]
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved May 27, 1988.