## CHAPTER 736

## (House Bill 1338)

AN ACT concerning

Motor Vehicle Administration - Self-Insurance

FOR the purpose of providing that the Administration may adopt certain regulations concerning certain assessments against certain self-insurers; providing for certain limits on assessments; and generally relating to motor vehicle self-insurance.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation Section 17-103 Annotated Code of Maryland (1987 Replacement Volume)

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

## Article - Transportation

17-103.

- (a) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the form of security required under this subtitle is a vehicle liability insurance policy written by an insurer authorized to write these policies in this State.
- (2) The Administration may accept another form of security in place of a vehicle liability insurance policy if it finds that the other form of security adequately provides the benefits required by subsection (b) of this section.
- (3) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL, BY REGULATION, ASSESS EACH SELF-INSURER AN ANNUAL SUM WHICH MAY NOT EXCEED \$750, AND WHICH SHALL BE USED FOR ACTUARIAL STUDIES AND AUDITS TO DETERMINE FINANCIAL SOLVENCY.
- (b) The security required under this subtitle shall provide for at least:
- (1) The payment of claims for bodily injury or death arising from an accident of up to \$20,000 for any one person and up to \$40,000 for any two or more persons, in addition to interest and costs: