

Article - Transportation
Section 23-105(f)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1987 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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

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24-106.

(a) This section and § 24-106.1 of this title do not prohibit:

(1) Dropping sand, SALT, ABRASIVES, CHEMICALS, OR OTHER MATERIALS to improve traction; [or]

(2) Spreading water or other substance to clean or maintain a highway; OR

(3) DROPPING ASPHALT OR OTHER MATERIALS FOR HIGHWAY, BRIDGE, STORM DRAIN, OR UTILITY CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR.

24-106.1.

(a) In this section:

(1) "Loose material" includes:

(i) Dirt, sand, gravel, wood chips, or other material that can blow, fall, or spill from a vehicle as a result of movement or of exposure to air, wind, or weather; and

(ii) Any other kind of material that can blow, fall, or spill, as specified in rules and regulations adopted by the Administrator; and

(2) "Loose material" does not include agricultural products in their natural state.

(b) A person may not, in violation of this section, carry any loose material in any vehicle on or across any highway in this State.

(c) A person may not, in violation of this section, load any loose material for carrying in any vehicle on or across any highway in this State.

(d) (1) [The] SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE bed of the vehicle carrying a load of loose material shall be fully enclosed: