- (2) SET THE DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
- (B) SUBJECT TO THE ORDINANCE ADOPTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION. THE COMMISSIONER MAY:
- (1) APPOINT AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CITY TO BE A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND
- (2) REVOKE THE APPOINTMENT OF A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER AT ANY TIME.
- (C) THE COMMISSIONER SHALL KEEP A RECORD OF SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER APPOINTMENTS.
- (D) THE COMMISSIONER SHALL APPROVE THE FORM OF BADGE AND THE TYPE OF UNIFORM THAT A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WEARS.
- (E) (1) EXCEPT AS LIMITED BY PARAGRAPH (4) (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, AND ONLY WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES ELIGIBLE FOR INCLUSION IN THE DOWNTOWN COMMERCIAL DISTRICT AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTER 604 OF THE ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 1992, A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER HAS THE SAME AUTHORITY TO ENFORCE CONTROL AND DIRECT PEDESTRIAN AND VEHICULAR TRAFFIC UNDER THE MARYLAND VEHICLE LAW AND BALTIMORE CITY ORDINANCES REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLES AS A POLICE OFFICER.
 - (2) A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER MAY:
 - (I) DIRECT VEHICLE TRAFFIC ON CITY STREETS; AND
- (II) ISSUE CITATIONS, REQUIRING INDIVIDUALS TO APPEAR BEFORE THE APPROPRIATE DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT, FOR A VIOLATION WITHIN THE CITY OF THE MARYLAND VEHICLE LAW OR A BALTIMORE CITY ORDINANCE REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLES.
- (3) A CITATION ISSUED BY A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER HAS THE SAME LEGAL EFFECT AS IF THE CITATION WAS ISSUED BY A POLICE OFFICER.
- $\frac{\mbox{(4)}}{\mbox{(2)}}$ A SPECIAL TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER HAS NO POWER TO:
- (I) ISSUE CITATIONS FOR MOVING VIOLATIONS OTHER THAN FOR A FAILURE TO OBEY LAWFUL TRAFFIC DIRECTION OR TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES; OR
 - (II) MAKE ARRESTS.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1993.

Approved May 11, 1993.