Approved April 8, 1997.

CHAPTER 6

(Senate Bill 58)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Local Authorities - Establishment of Speed Limits in Alleys

FOR the purpose of authorizing local authorities to set appropriate speed limits in alleys within their jurisdiction; requiring a local authority that sets a speed limit under this Act to post the speed limit on appropriate signs; and generally relating to the authority of local authorities to set speed limits in alleys.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 11-130 and 21-101(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 21-803

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

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

Article - Transportation

11-130.

"Local authority" means a political subdivision or a local board or other body that, under the laws of this State, has authority to enact laws and adopt local police regulations relating to traffic.

21-101.

- (b) "Alley" means a street that:
- (1) Is intended to provide access to the rear or side of a lot or building in an urban district; and
 - (2) Is not intended for through vehicular traffic.