certain individuals to allow the disclosure of personal information under the <u>certain</u> circumstances; repealing provisions requiring that a person in interest be given certain notice and take certain actions before certain personal information is protected from disclosure; <u>requiring the disclosure of personal information relating to specified classes of vehicles for certain purposes; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to access to personal information contained in records of the Motor Vehicle Administration.</u>

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 10-611

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 10-616(p)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 12-112

Annotated Code of Maryland

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

## Article - State Government

10-611.

- (a) In this Part III of this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Applicant" means a person or governmental unit that asks to inspect a public record.
  - (c) "Custodian" means:
    - (1) the official custodian; or
- (2) any other authorized individual who has physical custody and control of a public record.
- (d) "Official custodian" means an officer or employee of the State or of a political subdivision who, whether or not the officer or employee has physical custody and control of a public record, is responsible for keeping the public record.