(4) (5) If not otherwise provided in this section or elsewhere in the Maryland Vehicle Law, THE AGGRIEVED PARTY MAY APPEAL to the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to any action for judicial review filed before the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2000.

Approved May 11, 2000.

CHAPTER 336

(House Bill 139)

AN ACT concerning

State Fire Marshal - Powers and Duties - Inspectors

FOR the purpose of authorizing the State Fire Marshal to designate certain individuals as fire safety inspectors; and generally relating to the powers and duties of the State Fire Marshal.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations

Section 7

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations

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- (a) (1) The office of State Fire Marshal is established as an agency of the Department of State Police.
- (2) (i) The Secretary of the State Police shall appoint a State Fire Marshal for a six-year term from a list of 3 names submitted by the State Fire Prevention Commission.
- (ii) The Fire Marshal is in the executive service of the State Personnel Management System and can be removed by the Secretary of the State Police, at any time, for neglect of duty or other conduct unbecoming the office. The Commission may recommend to the Secretary the removal of the Fire Marshal for