CHAPTER 512

(Senate Bill 287)

AN ACT concerning

State Board of Spinal Cord Injury Research

FOR the purpose of establishing a State Board of Spinal Cord Injury Research in the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; specifying the composition of the Board and the terms of its members; providing for the appointment of the chairman, a quorum, and meetings of the Board and certain reimbursement of its members; specifying certain duties of the Board, including the administration of a certain grant program and fund; providing that certain members of the Board may not vote on certain matters; establishing a Spinal Cord Injury Research Trust Fund; providing for the administration, purpose, funding, and status of the Fund; providing for the distribution of certain insurance premium tax revenue to the Fund; specifying certain powers and duties of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene; providing that certain individuals convicted of certain speeding violations are subject to a certain surcharge to be collected by the District Court: requiring the District Court to notify a certain individual about a certain surcharge and, on receipt of a certain surcharge, to pay the surcharge into the Fund; requiring the District Court to order the Motor Vehicle Administration to initiate an action to suspend the driving privileges of a certain individual under certain circumstances; defining certain terms; and generally relating to certain spinal cord injury research.

BY repealing and reenacting, with-amendments,

Article Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 7 302

Annetated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 1-101(a), (c), and (i)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Health - General

Section 13-1001 through 13-1007, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 10. State Board of Spinal Cord Injury Research"

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

BY adding to