(1999 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 - Transportation**

**12–301**.

- (a) On application, the Administration shall issue an identification card to any individual who:
  - (1) Is a resident of this State;
  - (2) Does not have a driver's license;
- (3) Presents a birth certificate or other proof of age and identity acceptable to the Administration; and
- (4) Presents a completed application for an identification card on a form furnished by the Administration.
- (b) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Administration shall establish a fee for the issuance of an identification card and for issuance of a duplicate identification card.
  - (2) A fee is not required if the applicant for the card:
    - (i) Is 65 years old or older;
    - (ii) Is legally blind;
    - (iii) Has permanently lost the use of a leg or an arm;
- (iv) Is permanently disabled so severely that the applicant cannot move without the aid of crutches or a wheelchair; or
- (v) Has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits a "major life activity" as defined in the federal Americans with Disabilities Act.
- (c) A person may not commit any fraud in applying for an identification card issued under this section.
- (d) A person may not commit any misrepresentation in applying for an identification card issued under this section.
- (e) A person may not commit any fraud in using an identification card issued under this section.
- (f) A person may not make any misrepresentation in using an identification card issued under this section.
  - (g) (1) An identification card shall be:
    - (i) Of the size and design that the Administration requires; and