

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

Article - Tax - Property

14-813.

(a) (1) At any time after 30 days from the mailing of the statement and notice, the collector shall cause to be published, 4 times, once a week for 4 successive weeks in 1 or more newspapers that have a general circulation in the county in which the property is located, a notice that the property will, on the date and at the place named in the notice, be sold at public auction.

(2) In Frederick County, Garrett County, Kent County, and Queen Anne's County, the notice shall be published 3 times, once a week for 3 successive weeks.

(3) (I) ~~IN BALTIMORE CITY, 4 WEEKS PRIOR TO THE SALE, THE NOTICE SHALL BE:~~

1. PUBLISHED TWO TIMES, ONCE PER WEEK IN ALTERNATE WEEKS; AND

2. POSTED ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE 4 WEEKS PRIOR TO THE SALE.

(II) THE REQUIRED NEWSPAPER NOTICE SHALL INCLUDE A STATEMENT THAT NOTICE SHALL BE POSTED ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE ALONG WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW THE PUBLIC CAN ACCESS THE WEBSITE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2001.

May 17, 2001

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 392 - Emergency Vehicles - Use of Flashing Lights While Parking and Backing.

This bill authorizes an emergency vehicle to use its flashing lights when parking or backing the vehicle within 100 feet of an entrance to a fire or rescue station. It also prohibits a driver from passing an emergency vehicle within 100 feet of an entrance of a fire or rescue station when the vehicle is parking or backing.

House Bill 625, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 392.