

SECTION 6. ~~7.~~ AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, ~~subject to the provisions of Section 5 of this Act,~~ this Act shall take effect July October 1, 2003.

Approved May 22, 2003.

CHAPTER 452

(House Bill 838)

AN ACT concerning

**Vehicle Laws - Drivers' Licenses - ~~Fraud and Proof of Age and Identity~~
Licensing Documentation**

~~FOR the purpose of prohibiting the Motor Vehicle Administration from requiring an applicant for a driver's license to provide information regarding national origin or immigration status; clarifying that an applicant may provide an original or certified copy of a birth certificate issued by the United States, a United States territory, or a foreign government as proof of age or identity; requiring the Administration to accept certain documents as proof of age and identity; requiring the Administration to accept certain documents issued in a United States territory or a foreign country under certain circumstances; providing that an individual may only use certain documents prepared in a foreign country as proof of age or identity under certain circumstances; prohibiting a person from using a false, fictitious, or fraudulently altered document in an application for a driver's license; providing for a certain penalty; and generally relating to fraud and proof of age and identity.~~

FOR the purpose of requiring an applicant for a driver's license to state on the driver's license application the social security number of the applicant under certain circumstances; requiring an applicant who does not have a social security number to provide a certain certification in the application for the driver's license; prohibiting a person from using a false, fictitious, or fraudulently altered document in an application for a driver's license; providing for a certain penalty; establishing a Task Force to Study Driver Licensing Documentation; providing for the composition, duties, and staff of the Task Force; requiring the Task Force to report to the Governor and the General Assembly by a certain date; providing for the termination of the Task Force; and generally relating to documentation for drivers' licenses.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation
Section 16-106 and 16-301(b)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2002 Replacement Volume)

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