

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That § 22-412.2(d-1) of the Transportation Article, as enacted by this Act, shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of September 30, 2005, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.~~

~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2003.~~

Approved May 6, 2002.

CHAPTER 339

(House Bill 699)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Child Booster Seats

FOR the purpose of including "child booster seat" in the definition of "child safety seat"; altering the definition of "child safety seat"; altering the circumstances under which a child is required to be secured in a child safety seat when traveling in a motor vehicle registered in the State; requiring a child to be secured in a child safety seat under certain circumstances when traveling in a motor vehicle registered outside the State; ~~providing that certain provisions of this Act do not apply to a person transporting a child in a motor vehicle registered in another state, in the District of Columbia, or in another country until a certain date; providing for the termination of a certain provision of this Act; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to child booster seats.~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 22-412.2

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

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

Article - Transportation

22-412.2.

(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

(2) (i) "Child safety seat" means a device, INCLUDING A CHILD BOOSTER SEAT, that [is manufactured in accordance with the 1981 Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards and is] THE MANUFACTURER: