This bill requires the State Highway Administration to designate the portion of Maryland Route 157 known as the Peninsula Expressway as the Vietnam Veterans Highway.

House Bill 111, 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 142.

Sincerely, Parris N. Glendening Governor

Senate Bill No. 142

AN ACT concerning

State Highways - Designation - Vietnam Veterans Highway

FOR the purpose of requiring the State Highway Administration to designate a certain highway as the Vietnam Veterans Highway; and generally relating to State highway designations.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 8-650

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume)

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

Article - Transportation

8-650.

- (A) The Administration shall designate the portion of Maryland Route 24 located between the U.S. Route 1 Bypass and U.S. Route 40 as the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Highway.
- (B) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL DESIGNATE THE PORTION OF MARYLAND ROUTE 157 KNOWN AS THE PENINSULA EXPRESSWAY AS THE VIETNAM VETERANS HIGHWAY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2002.

May 16, 2002

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr. President of the Senate