

Section 21-706

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2002 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 27-101(g)

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, ~~That Section(s) 16-402(a)(5) of Article Transportation of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed.~~

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 16-402(a)(6) through (22), respectively, of Article Transportation of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 16-402(a)(5) through (21), respectively.~~

~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,~~ That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Transportation

~~16-402.~~

~~(a) After the conviction of an individual for a violation of Title 2, Subtitle 5, § 2-209, or § 3-211 of the Criminal Law Article, or of the vehicle laws or regulations of this State or of any local authority, points shall be assessed against the individual as of the date of violation and as follows:~~

~~(22) ANY VIOLATION OF § 21-706 OF THIS ARTICLE 5 POINTS~~

21-706.

(a) If a school vehicle has stopped on a roadway and is operating the alternately flashing red lights specified in § 22-228 of this article, the driver of any other vehicle meeting or overtaking the school vehicle shall stop at least 20 feet from the rear of the school vehicle, if approaching the school vehicle from its rear, or at least 20 feet from the front of the school vehicle, if approaching the school vehicle from its front.

(b) If a school vehicle has stopped on a roadway and is operating the alternately flashing red lights specified in § 22-228 of this article, the driver of any other vehicle meeting or overtaking the school vehicle may not proceed until the school vehicle resumes motion or the alternately flashing red lights are deactivated.

(c) This section does not apply to the driver of a vehicle on a divided highway, if the school vehicle is on a different roadway.