

16-610.

(A) A POLICE OFFICER OR OTHER AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL AS DETERMINED BY REGULATIONS MAY SEIZE CIGARETTES IN THE POSSESSION OF A RETAILER, SUBWHOLESALE, VENDING MACHINE OPERATOR, OR WHOLESALE THAT HAVE NOT BEEN MARKED IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 16-604 OF THIS SUBTITLE. CIGARETTES SEIZED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE DESTROYED; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT PRIOR TO THE DESTRUCTION OF ANY CIGARETTE SEIZED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION, THE TRUE HOLDER OF THE TRADEMARK RIGHTS IN THE CIGARETTE BRAND SHALL BE PERMITTED TO INSPECT THE CIGARETTE

(B) (1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, CIGARETTES SEIZED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE DESTROYED.

(2) THE TRUE HOLDER OF THE TRADEMARK RIGHTS IN THE CIGARETTE BRAND SHALL BE PROVIDED THE OPPORTUNITY TO INSPECT ANY CIGARETTES SEIZED UNDER THIS SECTION BEFORE THE CIGARETTES ARE DESTROYED.

Article - Public Safety

8-102.

(a) There is a Senator William H. Amoss Fire, Rescue, and Ambulance Fund.

(b) The purposes of the Fund are to promote:

(1) the delivery of effective and high quality fire protection, rescue, and ambulance services in the State;

(2) increased financial support for fire, rescue, and ambulance companies by counties; and

(3) the continued financial viability of volunteer fire, rescue, and ambulance companies given the greatly increased costs of equipment.

(d) The Fund consists of:

(1) money appropriated in the State budget to the Fund; AND

(2) REVENUE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FUND UNDER § 16-609 OF THE BUSINESS REGULATION ARTICLE.