Vehicular traffic approaching a highway from an exit ramp from an expressway, as defined in  $\S 21-101(k)$  of this title, and facing a nonfunctioning traffic control signal at the intersection of the exit ramp and the highway shall:

## (1) STOP:

- (I) AT A CLEARLY MARKED STOP LINE;
- (II) IF THERE IS NO CLEARLY MARKED STOP LINE, BEFORE ENTERING ANY CROSSWALK; OR
- (III) IF THERE IS NO CROSSWALK, BEFORE ENTERING THE HIGHWAY; AND
- (2) REMAIN STOPPED UNTIL IT IS SAFE TO CONTINUE ONTO THE HIGHWAY.

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(b) Except as otherwise provided in this section, any person convicted of a misdemeanor for the violation of any of the provisions of the Maryland Vehicle Law is subject to a fine of not more than \$500.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2007.

Approved by the Governor, May 17, 2007.

## **CHAPTER 583**

(Senate Bill 945)

AN ACT concerning