

SECTION 11. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding the provisions of Section 4 of this Act, the modified definition of "total purchase price" for the purposes of the calculation of the motor vehicle excise tax imposed on a vehicle under § 13-809(a) of the Transportation Article as enacted under Section 4 of this Act does not apply until any Consolidated Transportation Bonds that were issued by the Department of Transportation before January 1, 2008 no longer remain outstanding and unpaid; provided, however, that in any fiscal year for which funds are appropriated by the General Assembly to pay the principal of and interest on the Department of Transportation's Consolidated Transportation Bonds due and payable in that fiscal year, the Motor Vehicle Administration shall collect the reduced motor vehicle excise tax imposed on a vehicle by utilizing the modified definition as enacted under Section 4 of this Act.

SECTION 12. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 1 of this Act shall take effect January 3, 2008.

SECTION ~~5~~ 13. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That ~~Section 2~~ Sections 2 and 5 of this Act shall take effect July 1, 2008. Section 5 of this Act shall be applicable to the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008, and each subsequent fiscal year. Section 8-205 of the Natural Resources Article as enacted by Section 5 of this Act shall take effect contingent on the failure of House Bill 23 during the 2007 Special Session of the General Assembly. If House Bill 23 is enacted, § 8-205 of the Natural Resources Article as enacted by Section 5 of this Act shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.

SECTION ~~6~~ 14. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That except as provided in ~~Section 5~~ Sections 12 and 13 of this Act, this Act shall take effect January 1, 2008.

Approved by the Governor, November 19, 2007.

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## CHAPTER 7

(Senate Bill 6)

AN ACT concerning

### Working Families and Small Business Health Coverage Act

FOR the purpose of establishing a Small Employer Health ~~Insurance~~ Benefit Plan Premium Subsidy Program; establishing the purposes, administration, eligibility and other requirements, and funding for the Program; requiring the Maryland Health Care Commission to adopt regulations to establish certain