

**Article – Transportation**

12-202.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in § 16-205.1(f) of this article, if the Maryland Vehicle Law or a rule or regulation of the Administration provides that a license or privilege may be suspended or revoked only after a hearing, the Administration shall give the licensee:

- (1) Written notice of the hearing and any charge made; and
- (2) An opportunity to be heard in person.

(b) The notice required by this section shall:

- (1) Contain the information required by § 12-204 of this subtitle;
- (2) Be given at least 10 days before the date of the hearing; and
- (3) Be sent to the licensee as provided in § 12-114 of this article.

16-206.

(a) (1) The Administration may suspend, revoke, or refuse to issue or renew the license of any resident or the nonresident's privilege to drive of any nonresident on a showing by its records or other sufficient evidence that the applicant or licensee:

(i) Has been convicted of moving violations so often as to indicate an intent to disregard the traffic laws and the safety of other persons on the highways;

(ii) Is an unfit, unsafe, or habitually reckless or negligent driver of a motor vehicle;

(iii) Has permitted an unlawful or fraudulent use of his license;

(iv) Has committed an offense in another state that, if committed in this State, would be grounds for suspension or revocation; or

(v) Has knowingly made a false certification of required security in any application for a certificate of title or for the registration of a vehicle.

(2) The Administration may suspend a license to drive of an individual who fails to attend:

(i) A driver improvement program or an alcohol education program required under § 16-212 of this subtitle; or

(ii) A private alternative program or an alternative program that is provided by a political subdivision of this State under § 16-212 of this subtitle.

(b) (1) Pursuant to a court order under § 3-820(d) of the Courts Article, the Administration shall initiate an action to suspend the driving privileges of a child for the time specified by the court.