

(2) IS UNDER THE CONTROL OF A LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR A COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD;

(3) HAS COMPLETED TRAINING TO PERFORM ANY TRAFFIC DIRECTION DUTIES TO WHICH THE GUARD IS ASSIGNED AS PRESCRIBED BY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD THAT HAS CONTROL OVER THE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD; AND

(4) IS WEARING AN APPROPRIATE UNIFORM AS SPECIFIED BY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD THAT HAS CONTROL OVER THE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD.

(C) A PERSON MAY NOT WILLFULLY DISOBEY A LAWFUL DIRECTION OF A SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD EXERCISING THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN THIS SECTION.

(D) NOTHING IN THIS SECTION PROHIBITS A SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD WHO DOES NOT MEET THE QUALIFICATIONS SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION FROM ASSISTING A PEDESTRIAN TO CROSS A HIGHWAY, PROVIDING THE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD DOES NOT ATTEMPT TO DO SO BY DIRECTING TRAFFIC.

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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, 2008.

Approved by the Governor, April 24, 2008.

CHAPTER 259

(House Bill 238)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Health Insurance Plan – Status, Operation, and Regulation