

Approved by the Governor, April 8, 2008.

CHAPTER 38

(Senate Bill 713)

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws – Equipment on Motorcycles – Auxiliary Lighting

FOR the purpose of authorizing the use of certain auxiliary lighting on a motorcycle; and generally relating to motorcycle lighting.

BY ~~repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~ adding to
Article – Transportation
Section ~~22-224.1~~ 22-221(l)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Transportation

~~22-224.1.~~

(a) ~~In this section, “motorcycle” includes Class M (multipurpose) vehicles that are designated by the Administrator.~~

(b) ~~The headlamp or headlamps on a motorcycle may be of the single beam or multiple beam type, but in either event shall comply with the following requirements and limitations:~~

(1) ~~The headlamp or headlamps on a motorcycle shall be of sufficient intensity to reveal a person or a vehicle at a distance of:~~

(i) ~~Not less than 100 feet, when the motorcycle is operated at any speed of less than 25 miles an hour;~~

(ii) ~~Not less than 200 feet, when the motorcycle is operated at a speed of 25 to 34 miles an hour; and~~