## **Department of Fiscal Services**

Maryland General Assembly

## **FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 213 (Delegate Vallario) Commerce and Government Matters

## Vehicle Laws - Refusal to Issue a Certificate of Title - Specific Information or Documents

This bill provides that the Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA) must issue a certificate of title, provided certain standards are met, unless the Administration has specific information or documents indicating that the applicant is not the owner of a vehicle, the issuance of title would be fraud, or the vehicle does not meet environmental standards. Current law authorizes the MVA to refuse to issue title if it has reasonable grounds to believe the items listed above.

## **Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. The requirements of this bill should not affect MVA finances and could be implemented with existing resources.

Local Effect: None.

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