

**Department of Fiscal Services**  
Maryland General Assembly

**FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 106 (Delegate Franchot)  
Commerce and Government Matters

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**Vehicle Laws - Unsafe Tires**

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This bill alters the definition of an unsafe tire. It provides that a tire is considered unsafe if the tread wear indicators are flush with the tread in any groove at three locations spaced approximately equally around the outside of the tire.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. This bill codifies existing practice with regard to inspection criteria for unsafe tires.

**Local Effect:** None.

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