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By: **Delegates Bozman, Conway, and McClenahan**  
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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Transportation - Ocean City Local Bus System - Funding**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Department of Transportation to provide a certain  
4 annual grant to Ocean City for certain local bus service under certain  
5 circumstances; specifying certain limitations on grants made under this Act; and  
6 generally relating to State grants for local bus service in Ocean City.

7 BY adding to  
8 Article - Transportation  
9 Section 7-802  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (1993 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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

14 **Article - Transportation**

15 7-802.

16 (A) SUBJECT TO THE APPROPRIATION REQUIREMENTS AND BUDGETARY  
17 PROVISIONS OF § 3-216 OF THIS ARTICLE AND UPON RECEIPT OF AN APPROVAL OF A  
18 GRANT APPLICATION IN THE FORM OR DETAIL AS THE SECRETARY SHALL  
19 REASONABLY REQUIRE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE FOR ANNUAL GRANTS TO  
20 OCEAN CITY FOR LOCAL BUS SERVICE AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION.

21 (B) EXCLUDING COSTS DEFRAIDED BY FARE REVENUES, THE AMOUNT OF A  
22 GRANT UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE EQUAL TO 33.33% OF THE TOTAL COSTS OF  
23 PROVIDING LOCAL BUS SERVICE IN OCEAN CITY.

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
25 July 1, 1998.