Department of Legislative Services

Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 74 (Delegate Campbell. *et al.*)

Commerce and Government Matters

Vehicle Laws - Display of Amber Flashing Lights - Community Patrols

This amended bill authorizes "Citizens on Patrol" or other community watch groups to display flashing amber lights while on patrol in the community if allowed by the local law enforcement agency. The lights must be extinguished if so instructed by a uniformed law enforcement officer. A local law enforcement agency may require that the group conducting the patrol display an identifying sign while the amber flashing light is displayed.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. This bill would not directly affect governmental finances.

Small Business Effect: None.

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