

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 294 (Delegate Dembrow)

Commerce and Government Matters

Vehicle Laws - Aggressive Driving - Driver Improvement Programs and Point System Conferences

This bill requires the Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA) to include material on aggressive driving in driver improvement programs and point system conferences. The material should: (1) raise a driver's awareness of aggressive driving behavior; (2) aim at modifying aggressive driving behavior; and (3) provide information on alternative methods for dealing with impatience, frustration, anger, and intolerance experienced while driving a motor vehicle.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill's requirements could be handled with existing resources. The MVA is already drafting changes to the curriculum to address aggressive driving.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: None.

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