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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Drivers' Licenses - Refusal to License

- 3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Motor Vehicle Administration to refuse to license for
- a certain period of time an individual who has been convicted of certain crimes;
- 5 and generally relating to the power of the Administration to refuse to license
- 6 individuals.
- 7 BY adding to
- 8 Article Transportation
- 9 Section 16-201.1
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1998 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 16-201.1.
- 16 THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL REFUSE TO LICENSE FOR NOT LESS THAN 2
- 17 YEARS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS BEEN CONVICTED UNDER § 388 ("MANSLAUGHTER
- 18 BY AUTOMOBILE, VESSEL, ETC.") OR § 388A ("HOMICIDE BY MOTOR VEHICLE OR
- 19 VESSEL WHILE INTOXICATED") OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE. IF AN INDIVIDUAL IS
- 20 IMPRISONED BASED ON A CONVICTION OF § 388 OR § 388A OF THE CODE, THE 2-YEAR
- 21 REFUSAL PERIOD SHALL BEGIN ONLY AFTER THE INDIVIDUAL HAS COMPLETED
- 22 SERVING THE SENTENCE.
- 23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 24 October 1, 1999.