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FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 37 (Delegate Arnick)

Commerce and Government Matters

Vehicle Laws - Telephone Use - Prohibition

This bill prohibits a driver from operating a telephone in a moving motor vehicle.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: Indeterminate general fund revenue increase from the penalty provision applicable to this offense under the Maryland Vehicle Law (maximum \$500 fine). Any increase is assumed to be minimal. Expenditures would not be affected as enforcement could be handled with existing resources.

Local Effect: None. Enforcement could be handled with existing resources.

Small Business Effect: None.

Information Source(s): Department of Transportation (Motor Vehicle Administration), Department of State Police, Department of Legislative Services

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