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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City - Payment of Student Transportation Costs - Sunset**
3 **Extension**

4 FOR the purpose of extending from fiscal year 2002 to fiscal year 2006 the
5 termination of the use of highway user revenues in Baltimore City for the
6 payment of student transportation costs; correcting a certain cross-reference;
7 and generally relating to the use of highway user revenues for the payment of
8 student transportation costs in Baltimore City.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article - Transportation
11 Section 8-402(b) and 8-408(a)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (1993 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

16 **Article - Transportation**

17 8-402.

18 (b) All revenues collected from the following, after deductions provided by law,
19 shall be credited to the Gasoline and Motor Vehicle Revenue Account:

- 1 (1) All of the motor vehicle fuel tax;
- 2 (2) Except as otherwise provided by law, 80 percent of the vehicle titling
3 tax;
- 4 (3) Except for revenues collected under Parts III and IV of Title 13,
5 Subtitle 9 of this article, vehicle registration fees;
- 6 (4) The revenue disbursed to this account under §§ 2-614 and
7 [2-617(1)] 2-616 of the Tax - General Article; and
- 8 (5) 80 percent of the funds distributed under § 2-1302.1 of the Tax -
9 General Article to the Transportation Trust Fund from the sales and use tax.
- 10 8-408.
- 11 (a) Highway user revenues distributed to Baltimore City and Kent County
12 may be used only to pay or finance:
- 13 (1) Costs incurred in the construction, reconstruction, or maintenance of
14 its highways and streets;
- 15 (2) Costs incurred by its police department for carrying out traffic
16 functions and enforcing the traffic laws;
- 17 (3) Costs incurred in its other highway related activities for:
- 18 (i) Lighting the highways;
- 19 (ii) Stormwater drainage of the highways; and
- 20 (iii) Street cleaning, but not including the cost of collection of
21 garbage, trash, and refuse;
- 22 (4) The payment of its debt service on bonds or other evidences of
23 obligation for:
- 24 (i) The construction, reconstruction, or maintenance of its
25 highways and streets; and
- 26 (ii) Any other of its highway activities, including lighting the
27 highways and providing stormwater drainage;
- 28 (5) The cost of transportation facilities, as defined in § 3-101 of this
29 article;
- 30 (6) As to Kent County:
- 31 (i) The cost of maintaining county owned boat landings; and
- 32 (ii) Costs incurred in providing traffic crossing guards; or

1 (7) As to Baltimore City, through fiscal year [2002] 2006, students' costs
2 of discounted Mass Transit Administration fares for eligible public school students in
3 Baltimore City.

4 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
5 July 1, 2001.