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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Motor Vehicle Laws - Violations - Assessment of Points**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the number of points required to be assessed by the
4 Motor Vehicle Administration against an individual failing to stop a vehicle for a
5 pedestrian in a crosswalk, passing a vehicle stopped for a pedestrian in a
6 crosswalk, failing to exercise due care to avoid colliding with a pedestrian, and
7 failing to stop a vehicle for certain red traffic signals; and generally relating to
8 the assessment of points for violations of certain motor vehicle laws.

9 BY renumbering

10 Article - Transportation
11 Section 16-402(a)(8) through (36), respectively
12 to be Section 16-402(a)(10) through (38), respectively
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

15 BY adding to

16 Article - Transportation
17 Section 16-402(a)(8) and (9)
18 Annotated Code of Maryland
19 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

20 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

21 Article - Transportation
22 Section 16-402(a)(11)
23 Annotated Code of Maryland
24 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)
25 (As enacted by Section 1 of this Act)

26 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
27 MARYLAND, That Section(s) 16-402(a)(8) through (36), respectively, of Article -

1 Transportation of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s)
2 16-402(a)(10) through (38), respectively.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland
4 read as follows:

5 **Article - Transportation**

6 16-402.

7 (a) After the conviction of an individual for a violation of Article 27, § 388, §
8 388A, or § 388B of the Code, or of the vehicle laws or regulations of this State or of any
9 local authority, points shall be assessed against the individual as of the date of
10 violation and as follows:

11 (8) A VIOLATION OF § 21-502 (A)(2) AND (C) OF THIS ARTICLE 2 POINTS

12 (9) A VIOLATION OF § 21-504(A)(2) OF THIS ARTICLE2 POINTS

13 (11) Failure to stop a vehicle for a steady red traffic signal in violation of
14 § 21-202 of this article..... [2] 3 points

15 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
16 October 1, 2001.