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By: Senator Green Introduced and read first time: January 11, 2001 Assigned to: Finance Committee Report: Favorable with amendments Senate action: Adopted Read second time: February 2, 2001 CHAPTER 1 AN ACT concerning 2 State Highway Administration and Maryland Transportation 3 Authority - POW/MIA Flag - Rest Areas, Welcome Centers, and Exhibit 4 **Centers** 5 FOR the purpose of requiring that the State Highway Administration and the Maryland Transportation Authority ensure that a certain POW/MIA flag is 6 7 flown year round at certain rest areas, welcome centers, and exhibit centers; defining a certain term; and generally relating to the POW/MIA flag and rest 8 9 areas, welcome centers, and exhibit centers. 10 BY adding to Article - Transportation 11 Section 4-406 and 8-651 12 13 Annotated Code of Maryland 14 (1993 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 15 16 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 17 **Article - Transportation** 18 <u>4-406.</u> IN THIS SECTION, "POW/MIA FLAG" MEANS THE POW/MIA FLAG OF THE 19

20 NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES OF AMERICAN PRISONERS AND MISSING IN

21 SOUTHEAST ASIA.

- 1 (B) THE AUTHORITY SHALL ENSURE THAT THE POW/MIA FLAG IS FLOWN
- 2 YEAR ROUND AT EACH REST AREA, WELCOME CENTER, AND EXHIBIT CENTER UNDER
- 3 THE AUTHORITY'S JURISDICTION WITHIN STATE HIGHWAY RIGHTS-OF-WAY.
- 4 8-651.
- 5 (A) IN THIS SECTION, "POW/MIA FLAG" MEANS THE POW/MIA FLAG OF THE
- 6 NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES OF AMERICAN PRISONERS AND MISSING IN
- 7 SOUTHEAST ASIA.
- 8 (B) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL ENSURE THAT THE POW/MIA FLAG IS
- 9 FLOWN YEAR ROUND AT EACH REST AREA, WELCOME CENTER, AND EXHIBIT CENTER
- 10 UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION'S JURISDICTION WITHIN STATE HIGHWAY
- 11 RIGHTS-OF-WAY.
- 12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 13 October 1, 2001.