HOUSE BILL 16

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CHAPTER_____

1 AN ACT concerning

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Vehicle Laws - Signs Designating Parking Spaces for Individuals with Disabilities - Notice of Fine for Violation

4 FOR the purpose of requiring that a sign designating <u>a new sign erected after a</u>

- 5 <u>certain date that designates</u> a parking space or zone for the use of individuals
- 6 with disabilities to clearly state the maximum amount of the fine for unlawfully
- 7 parking in the designated space in violation of a certain provision of law; and
- 8 generally relating to the content of signs designating parking spaces for
- 9 individuals with disabilities.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

- 11 Article Transportation
- 12 Section 21-1003(u)
- 13 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 14 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)
- 15 BY adding to
- 16 Article Transportation
- 17 Section 21-1004(f)
- 18 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 19 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

20 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

21 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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Article - Transportation

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2 21-1003.

3 (u) A person may not stop, stand, or park a vehicle unless for the use of an 4 individual with a disability, in a space or zone marked as restricted for the use of 5 individuals with disabilities.

6 21-1004.

7 (F) <u>A NEW SIGN ERECTED AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2002 A SIGN DESIGNATING THAT</u>
8 <u>DESIGNATES</u> A PARKING SPACE OR ZONE FOR THE USE OF INDIVIDUALS WITH
9 DISABILITIES SHALL CLEARLY STATE THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF THE FINE TO
10 WHICH A PERSON IS SUBJECT FOR PARKING A VEHICLE IN THE PARKING SPACE OR
11 ZONE IN VIOLATION OF § 21-1003(U) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 13 October 1, 2002.