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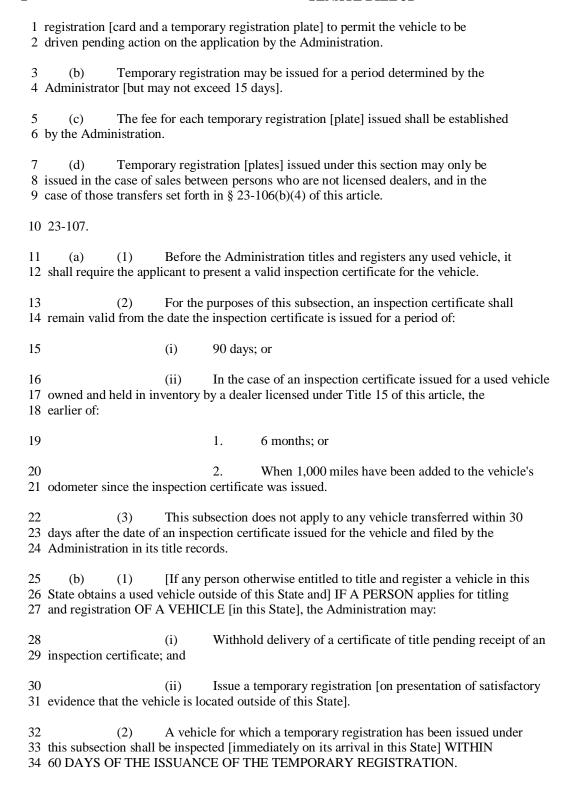
1 AN ACT concerning

2 Vehicle Laws - Titling and Registration - Temporary Registrations

- 3 FOR the purpose of repealing the authority of the Motor Vehicle Administration,
- 4 when issuing a temporary vehicle registration, to issue a certain registration
- 5 card and plate; repealing certain limitations on the period during which a
- 6 temporary registration remains valid; expanding the authority of the
- Administration to require certain vehicle inspections prior to titling and to issue
- 8 temporary registrations; and generally relating to vehicle titling and
- 9 registration.
- 10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 11 Article Transportation
- 12 Section 13-405 and 23-107
- 13 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 14 (2002 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)
- 15 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 16 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

17 Article - Transportation

- 18 13-405.
- 19 (a) If an application for registration and certificate of title of a vehicle is
- 20 accompanied by the required fees, the Administration may issue a temporary



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- 1 [(3) A temporary registration issued under this subsection expires at the 2 earlier of: 3 (i) The end of the current registration year; or 4 (ii) 6 months from the date of its issuance.] When an existing school vehicle (Class H) is changed to any other 5 (1) (c) 6 registration class, the vehicle shall be inspected at a licensed State inspection station. 7 The inspection certificate shall be submitted at the time the vehicle is
- 8 being registered in the new class.
- 9 (d) All buses other than those that are required to be inspected annually by 10 the Public Service Commission or by the Administration shall be inspected annually 11 at a licensed State inspection station.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 13 October 1, 2004.