## **HOUSE BILL 71**

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By: **Delegate Conaway** Requested: August 29, 2013

Introduced and read first time: January 8, 2014

Assigned to: Environmental Matters

## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

## Speed Monitoring Systems – Penalty for Erroneous Citations

- FOR the purpose of requiring a court that finds that a citation for an alleged violation recorded by a speed monitoring system was issued erroneously to require the person responsible for maintaining the speed monitoring system to pay a certain penalty to the person to whom the citation was issued; and generally relating to speed monitoring systems.
- 8 BY adding to

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- 9 Article Transportation
- 10 Section 21–809(k)
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)
- 13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 15 Article Transportation
- 16 21–809.
- 17 (K) If a court finds that a citation issued under this section
- 18 WAS ISSUED ERRONEOUSLY, THE COURT SHALL REQUIRE THE PERSON
- 19 RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING THE SPEED MONITORING SYSTEM THAT
- 20 RECORDED THE ALLEGED VIOLATION FOR WHICH THE CITATION WAS ISSUED TO
- 21 PAY A PENALTY OF \$125 TO THE PERSON WHO WAS ISSUED THE CITATION.
- 22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 23 October 1, 2014.