

**HB0205/910313/1**

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 205  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, after the second comma insert “and”; in line 6, strike beginning with “, and” through “do” and substitute “do”; in line 10, strike “11-135, and 21-1128(a)” and substitute “and 11-135”; in line 15, strike “11-118.1” and substitute “11-117.1”; and in line 20, strike “21-1202” and substitute “13-102(7), 13-104(a), 16-101(a), 17-104.1, and 21-1207.1”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 2, strike “**(A)**”; in the same line, strike “a” and substitute “:

**(1)    A**;

in lines 3, 4, and 6, strike “(1)”, “(2)”, and “(3)”, respectively, and substitute “**(I)**”, “**(II)**”, and “**(III)**”, respectively; in line 7, after “wheel” insert “;**OR**

**(2)    AN ELECTRIC BICYCLE**;

strike line 8 in its entirety; in line 9, strike “**11-118.1**” and substitute “**11-117.1**”; in line 13, after “**WITH**” insert “**FULLY OPERABLE**”; strike beginning with “**THAT**” in line 13 down through “**WHEEL**” in line 14; strike beginning with the comma in line 15 down through “**DIAMETER**” in line 16; in line 17, after “**LESS;**” insert “**AND**”; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 19 down through “**LESS**” in line 20.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 26, after “**BICYCLE**” insert “, **AS DEFINED IN § 11-117.1 OF THIS SUBTITLE**”.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 22, inclusive, and substitute:

“13–102.

A certificate of title is not required for:

(7) A bicycle, except for a moped;

13–104.

(a) (1) The application for a certificate of title of a vehicle shall be made by the owner of the vehicle on the form that the Administration requires.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of this title, an application for a certificate of title of an off–highway recreational vehicle, a motor scooter, or a moped shall be made by electronic transmission under § 13–610 of this title.

(3) The owner of a motor scooter or moped shall certify at the time of titling that the motor scooter or moped is covered by the required security described in § 17–103 of this article.

16–101.

(a) An individual may not drive or attempt to drive a motor vehicle on any highway in this State unless:

(1) The individual holds a driver’s license issued under this title;

(2) The individual is expressly exempt from the licensing requirements of this title; or

(3) The individual otherwise is specifically authorized by this title to drive vehicles of the class that the individual is driving or attempting to drive.

17-104.1.

The operator of a moped or motor scooter shall carry evidence of the required security when operating the moped or motor scooter.

21-1207.1.

(a) (1) The provisions of this section apply:

(i) At all times while a bicycle is being operated on any highway, bicycle way, or other property open to the public or used by the public for pedestrian or vehicular traffic; and

(ii) To a person under the age of 16 who is riding on a bicycle, including a person under the age of 16 who is a passenger on a bicycle:

1. In a restraining seat attached to the bicycle; or

2. In a trailer being towed by the bicycle.

(2) The provisions of this section do not apply to passengers in commercial bicycle rickshaws.

(b) This section does not apply in the town of Ocean City, Maryland, on the boardwalk between the Ocean City inlet and 27th Street, during the hours in which bicycles are permitted by local ordinance to be operated on the boardwalk.

(c) A person to whom this section applies may not operate or ride as a passenger on a bicycle unless the person is wearing a helmet that meets or exceeds the

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standards of the American National Standards Institute, the Snell Memorial Foundation, or the American Society for Testing and Materials for protective headgear for use in bicycling.

(d) This section shall be enforced by the issuance of a warning that informs the offender of the requirements of this section and provides educational materials about bicycle helmet use.”.