

HOUSE BILL 747

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By: **Cecil County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 13, 2015

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Thomas J. Hatem Memorial Bridge – Multiple Axle Vehicles – Toll Rates**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Transportation Authority to establish certain
4 tolls for certain multi-axle vehicles using the Thomas J. Hatem Memorial Bridge;
5 authorizing the Authority to adopt regulations; and generally relating to tolls on the
6 Thomas J. Hatem Memorial Bridge.

7 BY adding to

8 Article – Transportation

9 Section 4-406

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement)

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
13 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

14 **Article – Transportation**

15 **4-406.**

16 **(A) THE AUTHORITY SHALL ESTABLISH THE FOLLOWING TOLL RATES ON**
17 **THE THOMAS J. HATEM MEMORIAL BRIDGE FOR VEHICLES WITH THREE OR MORE**
18 **AXLES:**

19 **(1) FOR A THREE-AXLE VEHICLE:**

20 **(I) A CASH/BASE TOLL RATE OF \$8; AND**

21 **(II) A VIDEO TOLL RATE OF \$12;**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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- 1 **(2) FOR A FOUR-AXLE VEHICLE:**
- 2 **(I) A CASH/BASE TOLL RATE OF \$12; AND**
- 3 **(II) A VIDEO TOLL RATE OF \$18;**
- 4 **(3) FOR A FIVE-AXLE VEHICLE:**
- 5 **(I) A CASH/BASE TOLL RATE OF \$24; AND**
- 6 **(II) A VIDEO TOLL RATE OF \$31.50; AND**
- 7 **(4) FOR A VEHICLE WITH SIX OR MORE AXLES:**
- 8 **(I) A CASH/BASE TOLL RATE OF \$30; AND**
- 9 **(II) A VIDEO TOLL RATE OF \$37.50.**
- 10 **(B) THE AUTHORITY MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS TO CARRY OUT THIS**
11 **SECTION.**
- 12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
13 October 1, 2015.