

HOUSE BILL 330

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By: **Delegates Fraser–Hidalgo and Kramer**

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Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Vehicle Laws – Young Drivers – Hour Restriction**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the hours during which a holder of a provisional driver's license
4 under a certain age may drive unsupervised; and generally relating to young drivers'
5 hour restrictions.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7 Article – Transportation
8 Section 16–113(d)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Transportation**

14 16–113.

15 (d) (1) Notwithstanding the licensee's driving record, the Administration shall
16 impose an hour restriction on a provisional driver's license issued to an applicant under the
17 age of 18.

18 (2) The restriction under this subsection shall limit the holder of a
19 provisional license to driving unsupervised only between the hours of 5 a.m. and [12
20 midnight] **10 P.M.**

21 (3) This subsection does not preclude the holder of a provisional license
22 from driving between the hours of [12 midnight] **10 P.M.** and 5 a.m. the following day if
23 the licensee is:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



- 1 (i) Accompanied and supervised by a licensed driver who is at least
2 21 years old;
- 3 (ii) Driving to or from or in the course of the licensee's employment;
- 4 (iii) Driving to or from a school class or official school activity;
- 5 (iv) Driving to or from an organized volunteer program; or
- 6 (v) Driving to or from an opportunity to participate in an athletic
7 event or related training session.

8 (4) The hour restriction and the supervision requirement under this
9 subsection expire on the date the holder of the provisional license turns 18 years of age.

10 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
11 October 1, 2017.