

HOUSE BILL 349

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ENROLLED BILL

— Environment and Transportation/Judicial Proceedings —

Introduced by **Prince George's County Delegation**

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this

_____ day of _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ M.

Speaker.

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County – Speed Monitoring Systems – Maryland Route 210**

3 **PG 306–25**

4 FOR the purpose of increasing the maximum civil penalties for violations recorded by speed
5 monitoring systems on Maryland Route 210 (Piscataway Highway) in Prince
6 George's County that involve exceeding the maximum speed limit by certain
7 amounts; ~~repealing the termination provision for the authority to place speed~~
8 ~~monitoring systems on Maryland Route 210 (Piscataway Highway) in Prince~~
9 ~~George's County;~~ and generally relating to speed monitoring systems on Maryland
10 Route 210 (Piscataway Highway) in Prince George's County.

11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

12 Article – Transportation

13 Section 21–809(c)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



1 Annotated Code of Maryland
2 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

3 ~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~

4 ~~Chapter 806 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2018, as amended by Chapter~~
5 ~~606 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023~~

6 ~~Section 3~~

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

9 **Article – Transportation**

10 21–809.

11 (c) (1) Unless the driver of the motor vehicle received a citation from a police
12 officer at the time of the violation, the owner or, in accordance with subsection (f)(4) of this
13 section, the driver of a motor vehicle is subject to a civil penalty if the motor vehicle is
14 recorded by a speed monitoring system while being operated in violation of this subtitle.

15 (2) (I) [A] **EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS**
16 **PARAGRAPH, A civil penalty under this subsection may not exceed \$40.**

17 (II) 1. **THIS SUBPARAGRAPH APPLIES TO A CIVIL PENALTY**
18 **ASSESSED TO THE OWNER OR DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT IS RECORDED BY**
19 **A SPEED MONITORING SYSTEM WHILE BEING OPERATED ON MARYLAND ROUTE 210**
20 **(PISCATAWAY HIGHWAY) IN PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY IN VIOLATION OF THIS**
21 **SUBTITLE.**

22 2. ~~SUBJECT TO SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 3 OF THIS~~
23 ~~SUBPARAGRAPH, A~~ **THE MAXIMUM CIVIL PENALTY UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH IS**
24 **AS FOLLOWS:**

25 A. **FOR EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM POSTED SPEED LIMIT**
26 **BY BETWEEN 12 AND 15, INCLUSIVE, MILES PER HOUR, ~~\$60~~ \$50 \$40;**

27 B. **FOR EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM POSTED SPEED LIMIT**
28 **BY BETWEEN 16 AND 19, INCLUSIVE, MILES PER HOUR, ~~\$80~~ \$70;**

29 C. **FOR EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM POSTED SPEED LIMIT**
30 **BY BETWEEN 20 AND 29, INCLUSIVE, MILES PER HOUR, ~~\$140~~ \$120;**

31 D. **FOR EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM POSTED SPEED LIMIT**
32 **BY BETWEEN 30 AND 39, INCLUSIVE, MILES PER HOUR, ~~\$270~~ \$230; OR**

1 **E. FOR EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM POSTED SPEED LIMIT**
2 **BY 40 MILES PER HOUR OR MORE, ~~\$500~~ \$425.**

3 (3) For purposes of this section, the District Court shall prescribe:

4 (i) A uniform citation form consistent with subsection (d)(1) of this
5 section and § 7-302 of the Courts Article; and

6 (ii) A civil penalty, which shall be indicated on the citation, to be paid
7 by persons who choose to prepay the civil penalty without appearing in District Court.

8 ~~Chapter 806 of the Acts of 2018, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Acts of 2023~~

9 ~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect~~
10 ~~October 1, 2018. [It shall remain effective for a period of 10 years and, at the end of~~
11 ~~September 30, 2028, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly,~~
12 ~~shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.]~~

13 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
14 October 1, 2025.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.