

# HOUSE BILL 349

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By: **Prince George's County Delegation**

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## 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)  
14 Annotated Code of Maryland  
15 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

16 ~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~  
17 ~~Chapter 806 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2018, as amended by Chapter~~  
18 ~~606 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023~~  
19 ~~Section 3~~

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

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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.



1 **Article – Transportation**

2 21–809.

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

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

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

14 2. ~~SUBJECT TO SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 3 OF THIS~~  
15 ~~SUBPARAGRAPH, A~~ **THE MAXIMUM CIVIL PENALTY UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH IS**  
16 **AS FOLLOWS:**

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

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

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

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

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

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

28 (i) A uniform citation form consistent with subsection (d)(1) of this  
29 section and § 7–302 of the Courts Article; and

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

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

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

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

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.