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(To be offered in the Environment and Transportation Committee)

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 699
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**and**” and substitute a comma; in the same line, after “**Insurance**” insert “, **and Reckless, Negligent, Aggressive, and Drunk and Drugged Driving**”; in line 3, after “of” insert “prohibiting a person from committing certain motor vehicle offenses related to driver’s licenses and the privilege to drive in the State while committing certain reckless, negligent, aggressive, or drunk and drugged driving offenses;”; in line 7, after “security;” insert “establishing a certain penalty for a violation of this Act;”; in line 8, after “requirements” insert “and reckless, negligent, aggressive, and drunk and drugged driving”; and after line 13, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Transportation

Section 21–901.1, 21–901.2, and 21–902(a)(1)(i) and (ii) and (2)(i), (b)(1)(i) and (2)(i), (c)(1)(i) and (2)(i), and (d)(1)(i) and (2)(i)

Annotated Code of Maryland
(2020 Replacement Volume)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 30, after “(j)” insert “**A PERSON MAY NOT VIOLATE THIS SECTION WHILE THE PERSON IS COMMITTING A VIOLATION OF § 21–901.1, § 21–901.2, OR § 21–902 OF THIS ARTICLE.**

(K)”.

On page 3, in line 1, strike “(k)” and substitute “**(L)**”; in the same line, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike “**A**”; in line 7, after “(2)” insert “**A PERSON**

(Over)

CONVICTED OF A VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (J) OF THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO:

(I) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 1 YEAR OR A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000 OR BOTH; AND

(II) FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE, IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 2 YEARS OR A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000 OR BOTH.

(3)".

On page 4, after line 2 insert:

"21-901.1.

(a) A person is guilty of reckless driving if he drives a motor vehicle:

(1) In wanton or willful disregard for the safety of persons or property;
or

(2) In a manner that indicates a wanton or willful disregard for the safety of persons or property.

(b) A person is guilty of negligent driving if he drives a motor vehicle in a careless or imprudent manner that endangers any property or the life or person of any individual.

(c) A person convicted of a violation of subsection (a) of this section is subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000.

21-901.2.

A person is guilty of aggressive driving if the person commits three or more of the following offenses at the same time or during a single and continuous period of driving in violation of:

- (1) § 21-202 of this title (Traffic lights with steady indication);
- (2) § 21-303 of this title (Overtaking and passing vehicles);
- (3) § 21-304 of this title (Passing on right);
- (4) § 21-309 of this title (Driving on laned roadways);
- (5) § 21-310 of this title (Following too closely);
- (6) § 21-403 of this title (Failure to yield right-of-way); or
- (7) § 21-801.1 of this title (Exceeding a maximum speed limit or posted maximum speed limit).

21-902.

(a) (1) (i) A person may not drive or attempt to drive any vehicle while under the influence of alcohol.

(ii) A person may not drive or attempt to drive any vehicle while the person is under the influence of alcohol per se.

(2) (i) A person may not violate paragraph (1) of this subsection while transporting a minor.

(b) (1) (i) A person may not drive or attempt to drive any vehicle while impaired by alcohol.

(2) (i) A person may not violate paragraph (1) of this subsection while transporting a minor.

(c) (1) (i) A person may not drive or attempt to drive any vehicle while so far impaired by any drug, any combination of drugs, or a combination of one or more drugs and alcohol that the person cannot drive a vehicle safely.

(2) (i) A person may not violate paragraph (1) of this subsection while transporting a minor.

(d) (1) (i) A person may not drive or attempt to drive any vehicle while the person is impaired by any controlled dangerous substance, as that term is defined in § 5–101 of the Criminal Law Article, if the person is not entitled to use the controlled dangerous substance under the laws of this State.

(2) (i) A person may not violate paragraph (1) of this subsection while transporting a minor.”.