

Article, to the General Assembly on the number of cases of possible insurance fraud that were referred for investigation and possible prosecution to the Insurance Fraud Division by the Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund, as required under this Act, and the results of the investigations and prosecutions, if any.

SECTION 2. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1998.

Approved May 12, 1998.

CHAPTER 401

(Senate Bill 501)

AN ACT concerning

Frederick County - Alarm System Registration Regulation

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Frederick County to adopt regulations to register alarm system contractors and alarm users, provide penalties for certain violations, provide for the issuance of civil citations for certain violations, ~~and~~ provide exemptions from the issuance of certain civil citations and penalties ~~under certain circumstances, and authorize the designated county enforcement agency to keep certain records and inform certain persons of a pattern of false alarms;~~ providing that certain provisions relating to alarm systems do not apply in Frederick County under certain circumstances; defining certain terms; and generally relating to ~~registration~~ regulation of alarm systems in Frederick County.

BY adding to

Article 25 - County Commissioners

Section 221A

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

Section 156C

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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