

HOUSE BILL 1222

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By: **Delegate Malone**

Introduced and read first time: February 18, 2011

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Vehicle Laws – Dealers – Licensing and Temporary Registration Plates**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the number of vehicles that a person may sell during a
4 certain time period before being included under the defined term “dealer” as the
5 term applies to certain provisions of the vehicle law; repealing a certain
6 provision of law that requires a motor vehicle dealer that issues temporary
7 registration plates to apply for at least a certain number of the temporary
8 registration plates; and generally relating to vehicle dealers.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article – Transportation
11 Section 11–111 and 13–601
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

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

16 **Article – Transportation**

17 11–111.

18 “Dealer” means a person who is in the business of buying, selling, or exchanging
19 vehicles including a person who during any 12–month period offers to sell [five]
20 **THREE** or more vehicles, the ownership of which was acquired for resale purposes.

21 13–601.

22 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the Administration
23 may design temporary registration plates and furnish them to any licensed dealer
24 who:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (1) [On] **APPLIES ON** the form that the Administration requires[,
2 applies for at least five of these plates]; and

3 (2) With the application, submits a fee established by the
4 Administration for each plate.

5 (b) A wholesale dealer may not apply for temporary registration plates.

6 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
7 October 1, 2011.