HOUSE BILL 234

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By: **Delegates Grammer and Metzgar**
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CHAPTER _____

1   AN ACT concerning

2   **State Highways – Electronic Map of State Roads by State Legislative District**

3   FOR the purpose of requiring the State Highway Administration to develop and make
4   available to the public on its Web site in an accessible and searchable electronic
5   format a map of each State legislative district that includes all State roads; requiring
6   each map to include certain information; requiring each map to be updated or
7   audited in a certain manner and according to a certain schedule; and generally
8   relating to electronic maps of State roads by State legislative district.

9   BY adding to
10   Article – Transportation
11   Section 8–657
12   Annotated Code of Maryland
13   (2015 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

16   **Article – Transportation**

17   **8–657.**

18   **(A)   THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL DEVELOP AND MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE**
19   **PUBLIC ON ITS WEB SITE IN AN ACCESSIBLE AND SEARCHABLE ELECTRONIC**

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1   FORMAT A MAP OF EACH STATE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT THAT INCLUDES ALL STATE
2   ROADS.

3   (B)   EACH MAP SHALL:

4   (1)   INCLUDE A VISUAL LINE THAT INDICATES:

5   (I)   THE POSITION OF EACH STATE ROAD ON THE MAP;

6   (II)   THE PREFIX, SUFFIX, ROUTE NUMBER, AND NAME OF THE
7   ROAD; AND

8   (III) THE NAME OF THE STATE AGENCY THAT OWNS THE ROAD;
9   AND

10   (2)   BE REVISED AND UPDATED PROMPTLY TO REFLECT ANY CHANGE
11 IN THE INVENTORY OF STATE ROADS IN THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT.

12   (C)   (1)   IF THE ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT UPDATE A MAP DURING A
13 CALENDAR YEAR ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31 OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR, THE
14 ADMINISTRATION SHALL AUDIT THE MAP TO ENSURE THAT IT REMAINS ACCURATE.

15   (2)   THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL NOTE ON EACH MAP THE DATE
16 THAT IT WAS LAST UPDATED OR AUDITED.

17   SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
18 October 1, 2016.

Approved:

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                                                           Governor.

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                                           Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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                                                President of the Senate.