

# SENATE BILL 146

R4

(9lr1368)

## ENROLLED BILL

— Judicial Proceedings/Environment and Transportation —

Introduced by ~~Senator Klausmeier~~ Senators Klausmeier, Lee, Smith, Washington, and West

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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President.

### CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Commercial Driver’s Licenses – Recognition, Prevention, and Reporting of**  
3 **Human Trafficking**

4 FOR the purpose of ~~requiring the Motor Vehicle Administration to include questions on the~~  
5 ~~recognition, prevention, and effective reporting of human trafficking as part of the~~  
6 ~~commercial driver’s license knowledge test~~; requiring commercial driver’s license  
7 training schools to include training on the recognition, prevention, and effective  
8 reporting of human trafficking as part of the curriculum; requiring the  
9 Administration to include content on the recognition, prevention, and effective  
10 reporting of human trafficking in its Commercial Driver’s License Manual; requiring  
11 the Administration to provide ~~content~~ *information* on the recognition, prevention,  
12 and effective reporting of human trafficking from the Manual to applicants renewing  
13 their commercial driver’s licenses; and generally relating to commercial driver’s  
14 licenses.

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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.

*Italics* indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



1 ~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~  
 2 ~~Article – Transportation~~  
 3 ~~Section 16–807(b)~~  
 4 ~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~  
 5 ~~(2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)~~

6 BY adding to  
 7 Article – Transportation  
 8 Section 16–807.2  
 9 Annotated Code of Maryland  
 10 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Transportation**

14 ~~16–807.~~

15 ~~(b) (1) Except as provided in § 16–807.1 of this subtitle, an individual may not~~  
 16 ~~be issued a commercial driver’s license until the individual has passed the knowledge and~~  
 17 ~~skill tests for driving a commercial motor vehicle which complies with the minimum federal~~  
 18 ~~standards established by the federal Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1986 (Title~~  
 19 ~~XII of Public Law 99–570), and has satisfied all other requirements of that act as well as~~  
 20 ~~any other requirements of this title.~~

21 ~~(2) The tests shall be prescribed and conducted at the direction of the~~  
 22 ~~Administration AND, IN ADDITION TO FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS, SHALL INCLUDE~~  
 23 ~~QUESTIONS ON THE RECOGNITION, PREVENTION, AND EFFECTIVE REPORTING OF~~  
 24 ~~HUMAN TRAFFICKING.~~

25 ~~(3) The Administration shall adopt regulations to waive the skill test~~  
 26 ~~required under paragraph (1) of this subsection in a manner consistent with 49 C.F.R. §~~  
 27 ~~383.77.~~

28 **16–807.2.**

29 **(A) A COMMERCIAL DRIVER’S LICENSE TRAINING SCHOOL SHALL INCLUDE**  
 30 **AS PART OF ITS CURRICULUM EDUCATION AND TRAINING ON THE RECOGNITION,**  
 31 **PREVENTION, AND EFFECTIVE REPORTING OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING.**

32 **(B) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL:**

1           (1) INCLUDE AS PART OF ITS COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE  
2 MANUAL CONTENT ON THE RECOGNITION, PREVENTION, AND EFFECTIVE  
3 REPORTING OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING; AND

4           (2) ~~ON REQUEST, PROVIDE~~ PROVIDE TO AN APPLICANT RENEWING A  
5 COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE ~~CONTENT~~ INFORMATION FROM THE MANUAL ON  
6 THE RECOGNITION, PREVENTION, AND EFFECTIVE REPORTING OF HUMAN  
7 TRAFFICKING.

8           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
9 October 1, 2019.

Approved:

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Governor.

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President of the Senate.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.