

Fine amounts for moving violations in which points may be assessed include a State Helicopter Replacement Fund surcharge of \$7.50. Therefore, \$7.50 should not be added to the fine.

DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND



TO ALL PEACE OFFICERS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE CITATIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS:

This document is a fine or penalty deposit schedule for certain violations of the motor vehicle and other laws as set forth in the Annotated Code of Maryland. The amounts set out on this schedule are to be indicated by you in the appropriate space on the citation, so that the motorist in such cases may prepay the fine in that amount if he or she does not care to contest his or her guilt or wishes to enter a plea of guilty with an explanation.

For some violations of the law set out in this schedule, a defendant may not prepay a fine or penalty deposit as he or she is required to stand trial. Those offenses appear on this schedule with the letters "MA" after them and in such cases you should mark the block before the phrase "You must appear for trial when notified by the court."

This schedule has been adopted pursuant to the authority vested in the Chief Judge of the District Court by the Constitution and laws of the State of Maryland. It is to become effective October 1, 2006, replacing all such schedules issued prior hereto and is to remain in force and effect until amended or repealed.

NO PEACE OFFICER IN THIS STATE IS AUTHORIZED TO DEVIATE FROM THIS SCHEDULE IN ANY CASE IN WHICH HE OR SHE IS INVOLVED.

For the convenience of those using this schedule we are showing the point assessment for each violation. Please keep in mind that these points are mandated by statute and are not established by the Court.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Ben C. Clyburn
Chief Judge
District Court of Maryland

NOTE: Changes denoted in red text

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Note:

Below attachment

Comment:

The \$7.50 surcharge will be split between the state police aviation command for the helicopter replacement program, local law enforcement agencies, volunteer fire and rescue assistance fund.

It's estimated that surcharge will collect \$3.1 million annually.

The \$7.50 surcharge is an addition to augment the current MVA surcharge \$13.50 for helicopters and local jurisdictions EMS-Rescue Squads - Fire.