



**Title:** Maryland House Bill 679

**Subject:** Define Vehicle Salesman

**Summary:**

Maryland House Bill 679 amends Title 15 of the Transportation Code, Vehicle Laws—Licensing of Businesses and Occupations, by amending the definition of “vehicle salesman.” The SCIC has engaged the dealers successfully amended the bill. The bill now amends the definition of “vehicle salesmen” to include any individual who:

“for a commission or other compensation, negotiates with or induces any other person to enter into a financial security or warranty agreement on behalf of a dealer in connection with the sale of a vehicle.”

Current law provides with certain exceptions from the definition. Vehicle salesman are required to be licensed by the Motor Vehicle Administration, and only a dealer or a person employed by a licensed dealer may obtain this license. The license application includes fingerprinting and a criminal background check.

Effective Date: October 1, 2022.

Date Filed: 01/31/2022

Date/Type of Last Action:	01/31/2022	First Reading First Reading Environment and Transportation
	02/02/2022	Hearing 2/17 at 1:00 p.m.
	03/07/2022	Favorable Report by Environment and Transportation
	03/08/2022	Favorable Adopted Second Reading Passed
	03/10/2022	Third reading passed (138-0)
	03/11/2022	Referred Judicial Proceedings
	03/15/2022	Hearing 3/23 at 1:00 p.m.
	03/18/2022	Hearing canceled Hearing 3/23 at 1:00 p.m.
	04/07/2022	Favorable with Amendments Report by Judicial Proceedings

Favorable with Amendments  
{873325/1 Adopted)

Second Reading Passed with  
Amendments

04/09/2022 Third Reading Passed (44-0)

04/11/2022 House Concurs Senate Amendments  
Third Reading Passed (132-0)  
Passed Enrolled