

minimum penalty, the court nevertheless may impose a lesser penalty of the same character.

Also in subsection (b), the last clause of the first sentence of present §247, which authorizes imprisonment for not more than 30 days on default of the payment of the fine, is deleted as unnecessary in light of - and, to the extent of any inconsistencies, superseded by - Art. 38, §4 to similar effect.

GENERAL REVISOR'S NOTE:

In revising this title, the Commission to Revise the Annotated Code included the bulk of those provisions of the Annotated Code (principally in Article 89B) that relate to the construction, maintenance, operation, and regulation of the State Highway System by the State Highway Administration. (Provisions relating to county roads are included only if they require significant involvement by the State Highway Administration; as to county roads, generally, see Article 25 of the Code.)

As to the financing of State and county highways through the issuance of bonds, see Title 3 of this article; as to the financing and operation of toll highways and toll bridges, see Title 4 of this article.

As to provisions relating to rules of the road, size, weight, and load of vehicles, and regulations for the preservation of highways, see Titles 11 through 27 of this article.

Throughout this title, obsolete references to the State Roads Commission have been corrected to refer to the State Highway Administration. In this regard, see revisor's note to §8-207 of this title.

In addition to the deletions noted in the appropriate revisor's notes to sections in this title, the Commission deleted as obsolete or otherwise unnecessary the following related provisions:

(1) Art. 56, §211 and Art. 89B, §§ 63, 105, 219, 235, and 262. These sections, which provide for the severability of various provisions in Arts. 56 and 89B, are unnecessary in light of Art. 1, §23 of the Code.

(2) Art. 56, §204A. See revisor's note to §8-702 of this title.

(3) Art. 56, §209. See revisor's note to §8-718 of this title.

(4) Art. 89B, §3B. This section provides that the Attorney General is the legal adviser to the