

POLICE DEPARTMENT
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

Police Ordinance Article 19, Subtitle 34, "Minors -Daytime and
Nighttime Curfews"

PARENT, GUARDIAN OR CUSTODIAN

NIGHTTIME CURFEW It shall be unlawful for the parent of any minor to knowingly permit or, by insufficient control to allow, such minor, minor being any person under the age of 17 years, to remain in or upon any public place or any establishment:

- 1) between the hours of 12:00 midnight Friday and 6:00 a.m. Saturday;
- 2) between the hours of 12:00 midnight Saturday and 6:00 a.m. Sunday; or
- 3) between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. of the following day, on any other day of the week.

DAYTIME CURFEW It shall be unlawful for the parent of any minor between the ages of 6 to 16 years, inclusive, to knowingly permit or, by insufficient control to allow, such minor to be in or about any public place or any establishment between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on any day during which the minor is required to be in school.

Police Ordinance Article 19, Subtitle 34-9, "Penalties"

At the time a minor is delivered to a parent or guardian at the home of the minor or at the juvenile holding center for the 1st time, a parent or guardian shall be issued a \$50 citation. Upon any subsequent conviction, a parent or guardian shall be subject to 1 or more of the following, in the discretion of the court:

- 1) a fine not to exceed \$300 and costs;
- 2) imprisonment for not more than 60 days; or
- 3) community service in the school from which the child was truant.

Note: Certain circumstances may exempt some juveniles from the Curlew Ordinance. Form 03/411C