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Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Prohibition of the Receipt of Scrap Metal Delivered in a Shopping Cart

3 FOR the purpose of prohibiting a person licensed to operate a junkyard, an automotive
4 dismantler and recycler facility, or scrap metal processing facility or a person doing
5 business as a junk dealer or scrap metal processor from receiving scrap metal
6 delivered in a shopping cart; providing a penalty for a violation of this Act; and
7 generally relating to the receipt of scrap metal delivered in shopping carts.

8 BY adding to

9 Article - Business Regulation
10 Section 17-1003
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (1992 Volume and 1996 Supplement)

13 BY adding to

14 Article - Transportation
15 Section 8-807.1
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (1993 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

18 BY adding to

19 Article - Transportation
20 Section 15-507.1
21 Annotated Code of Maryland
22 (1992 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

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

25 **Article - Business Regulation**

26 17-1003.

27 (A) A PERSON LICENSED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE MAY NOT RECEIVE ANY
28 SCRAP METAL DELIVERED TO THAT PERSON IN A SHOPPING CART.

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1 (B) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT
2 TO A CIVIL FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$1,000 FOR EACH VIOLATION.

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13 TO A CIVIL FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$1,000 FOR EACH VIOLATION.

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
15 October 1, 1997.