HOUSE BILL 839

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1 AN ACT concerning

2 Sales and Use Tax - Magazine Subscriptions

- 3 FOR the purpose of exempting magazine subscriptions from the sales and use tax;
- 4 and providing for a delayed effective date.
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 6 Article Tax General
- 7 Section 11-215(d)
- 8 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 9 (1997 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)
- 10 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 11 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 12 Article Tax General
- 13 11-215.
- 14 (d) The sales and use tax does not apply to:
- 15 (1) a sale of direct mail advertising literature and mail order catalogues
- 16 that will be distributed outside the State, and a sale of computerized mailing lists to
- 17 the extent used for the purpose of providing addresses to which direct mail
- 18 advertising literature and mail order catalogues will be distributed outside the State;
- 19 [or]
- 20 (2) a sale of government documents, publications, records, or copies by
- 21 the federal or State or a local government or an instrumentality of the federal or State
- 22 or a local government; OR
- 23 (3) A MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION.
- 24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 25 January 1, 2001.