AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 810
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, in line 4, strike “or transporting a battery operated smoke alarm into the State”; in line 5, strike “use” and substitute “purpose”; in line 6, before “defining” insert “exempting certain alarms and detectors from a certain prohibition; imposing a certain penalty for a violation of this Act;”; and in line 9, after “9–101” insert “and 9–109”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, after line 16, insert:

“(A) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO:

(1) A FIRE ALARM, A SMOKE DETECTOR, A SMOKE ALARM, OR AN ANCILLARY COMPONENT THAT IS:

(I) ELECTRONICALLY CONNECTED AS A PART OF A LISTED CENTRALLY MONITORED OR SUPERVISED ALARM SYSTEM; OR

(II) CAPABLE OF SENDING AND RECEIVING NOTIFICATIONS BY:

1. A LOW–POWER RADIO FREQUENCY WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SIGNAL; OR

2. A WIRELESS LOCAL AREA NETWORKING CAPABILITY; OR

(Over)
(2) ANY OTHER DEVICE THAT THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL DESIGNATES AS EXEMPT THROUGH THE REGULATORY PROCESS.”;

in line 17, before “ON” insert “(B)”; strike beginning with “OR” in line 18 down through “STATE” in line 19; and in line 19, strike “CONSUMER USE” and substitute “COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SUBTITLE”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, after line 21, insert:


(a) A person may not knowingly violate this subtitle.

(b) (1) [A] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to imprisonment not exceeding 10 days or a fine not exceeding $1,000 or both.

(2) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES § 9–106.1 OF THIS SUBTITLE IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING $1,000.”.