

**HB0775/373029/1**

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 775  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, after line 8, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Commercial Law

Section 13-301(14)(xxxv)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Commercial Law

Section 13-301(14)(xxxvi)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Commercial Law

Section 13-301(14)(xxxvii)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Replacement Volume and 2022 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 16, insert:

**“Article – Commercial Law**

13–301.

Unfair, abusive, or deceptive trade practices include any:

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(14) Violation of a provision of:

(xxxv) Section 11–210 of the Education Article; [or]

(xxxvi) Title 14, Subtitle 44 of this article; or

(xxxvii) TITLE 14, SUBTITLE 13 OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY  
ARTICLE; OR”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 22 on page 1 through line 14 on page 2, inclusive.

On page 2, in lines 15 and 18, strike “(C)” and “(D)”, respectively, and substitute “(B)” and “(C)”, respectively.

On page 3, in line 1, strike “(E)” and substitute “(D)”; in line 6, strike “ESSENTIAL”; in line 7, after “SERVICES” insert “DESIGNATED AS ESSENTIAL BY THE GOVERNOR”; in lines 7, 15, and 18, in each instance, strike “10%” and substitute “15%”; in line 23, strike “OR”; and in line 27, after “EMERGENCY” insert “; OR”

(3) THE PRICE INCREASE IS CONSISTENT WITH SEASONAL PRICES CHARGED BY THE PERSON BASED ON HISTORICAL DATA SHOWING PRICES CHARGED DURING THE SEASON OVER THE PAST 3 YEARS”.

On page 4, in line 2, strike “(A)”; and strike in their entirety lines 9 through 13, inclusive.