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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 569

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 7, after “dealer;” insert “altering the definitions of “fixed business address” and “local law enforcement unit”, as they relate to the regulation of secondhand precious metal object dealers, to clarify their scope;”; and in line 17, after “12-101(b)” insert “, (d), and (f)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 10, insert:

“(d) “Fixed business address” means a single physical location **IN MARYLAND** where a licensee regularly conducts business and at which the licensee or an employee of the licensee is physically present:

(1) during normal business hours; or

(2) other hours as provided in the application for the license which are sufficient to provide an authorized law enforcement officer or agent access to the licensee’s place of business as provided in § 12–306 of this title.”;

and after line 12, insert:

“(f) “Local law enforcement unit” means the **MARYLAND** Department of State Police, a **MARYLAND** police department, or **MARYLAND** sheriff, as designated by resolution of the county or municipal governing body, with jurisdiction over any place where a dealer transacts business other than the dealer’s fixed business address.”.