

SENATE BILL 98

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By: **Senator Klausmeier**

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Assigned to: Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Business Regulation – Other Tobacco Products – Wholesalers – License Fee**
3 **Exception for Cigarette Subwholesalers**

4 FOR the purpose of exempting a person who is licensed under a certain provision of
5 law to act as a cigarette subwholesaler from the requirement that an applicant
6 for a license to act as an other tobacco products wholesaler pay a certain license
7 fee; and generally relating to license fee requirements for other tobacco products
8 wholesalers.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article – Business Regulation
11 Section 16.5–203(d)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2010 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

16 **Article – Business Regulation**

17 16.5–203.

18 (d) (1) An applicant for a license to act as an other tobacco products
19 wholesaler shall:

20 (i) submit an application to the Comptroller on the form and
21 containing the information that the Comptroller requires; and

22 (ii) except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, pay to
23 the Comptroller a fee of \$250.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (2) A person who has a license issued under Title 16 of this article to
2 act as a cigarette wholesaler **OR TO ACT AS A CIGARETTE SUBWHOLESALE** is not
3 required to pay the license fee.

4 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
5 October 1, 2013.