

SB0508/912218/1

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 508
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, after “Theft” insert “- Repeal”; strike beginning with “altering” in line 4 down through “changes” in line 11 and substitute “repealing certain provisions establishing liability to a merchant for civil penalties for shoplifting and employee theft”; and after line 12, insert:

“BY repealing

Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 3–1301 through 3–1308 and the subtitle “Subtitle 13. Civil Penalties for Shoplifting and Employee Theft”

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 19 on page 1 through line 10 on page 2.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 14, before “Subtitle” insert an opening bracket; in the same line, after “Theft.” insert a closing bracket; and in line 15, before “3-1301.” insert an opening bracket.

On page 3, in lines 12 and 23, in each instance, after the period insert a closing bracket; in line 13, before “3-1302.” insert an opening bracket; and in line 24, before “3-1303.” insert an opening bracket.

On page 4, strike beginning with “, PREPARED” in line 1 down through “STATE,” in line 2; in line 5, strike “BY CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED”; strike beginning with “, INCLUDING” in line 8 down through “THEFT” in line 12; in lines

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13, 15, 17, 19, and 23, strike “**(III)**”, “**(IV)**”, “**(V)**”, “**(VI)**”, and “**(VII)**”, respectively, and substitute “**(ii)**”, “**(iii)**”, “**(iv)**”, “**(v)**”, and “**(vi)**”, respectively; and in line 22, after the semicolon insert “and”.

On pages 4 and 5, strike beginning with the semicolon in line 26 on page 4 down through “**LETTER.**” in line 7 on page 5 and substitute a period.

On page 5, in lines 9 and 10, strike “**, PREPARED BY A LAWYER ADMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW IN THE STATE,**”; strike beginning with “**BY**” in line 11 down through “**REQUESTED**” in line 12; in line 15, strike “**(VIII)**” and substitute “**(v)**”; in lines 26 and 31, in each instance, after the period insert a closing bracket; in line 27, before “3-1304.” insert an opening bracket; and in line 32, before “3-1305.” insert an opening bracket.

On page 6, strike beginning with “**IN**” in line 3 down through “**(C)**” in line 7; in lines 9 and 20, in each instance, after the period insert a closing bracket; strike in their entirety lines 10 through 13, inclusive; in line 14, before “3-1306.” insert an opening bracket; in line 19, strike “**(C) THE**” and substitute “However, the”.

On pages 6 and 7, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 21 on page 6 through line 13 on page 7, inclusive.

On page 7, in line 14, before “3-1307.” insert an opening bracket; in lines 20 and 24, in each instance, after the period insert a closing bracket; and in line 21, before “3-1308.” insert an opening bracket.