

Gasoline Marketing Agreements

FOR the purpose of providing that a mutual cancellation of a marketing agreement shall be void and unenforceable unless it includes certain provisions.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Commercial Law
Section 11-305(1)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1975 Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 11-305(1) of Article - Commercial Law, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1975 Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article - Commercial Law

11-305.

Subject to the notice requirements of § 11-306, in any action filed under this subtitle which is based on a termination or cancellation of a marketing agreement, it is a defense that the marketing agreement was terminated or cancelled:

(1) By mutual agreement of the parties[;], PROVIDED HOWEVER, THAT THE MUTUAL AGREEMENT IS VOID AND UNENFORCEABLE UNLESS IT CLEARLY STATES THAT IT IS NOT EFFECTIVE UNTIL ~~TEN DAYS~~ THE SEVENTH BUSINESS DAY AFTER THE DATE OF ITS EXECUTION DURING WHICH TIME EITHER THE DEALER OR THE DISTRIBUTOR HAVE THE ABSOLUTE RIGHT TO RESCIND SUCH MUTUAL AGREEMENT BY WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE OTHER.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 29, 1977.

CHAPTER 164

(Senate Bill 152)

AN ACT concerning

Motor Vehicle Operators - Tests for Blood-Alcohol
Level