

merchandise sold by dealers of furniture-or-major household appliances goods.

BY adding to

Article - Commercial Law

Section ~~14-1312~~ 14-1701 through 14-1706 to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 17. Merchandise Delivery"

Annotated Code of Maryland

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

Article - Commercial Law

~~14-1312-~~

~~{A}- {1}--IN--THIS--SECTION--THE--FOLLOWING--WORDS--HAVE--THE MEANINGS--INDICATED-~~

~~{2}--"CONSUMER"--MEANS--A--PERSON--WHO--ENTERS--INTO--A CONTRACT--WITH--A--DEALER--FOR--THE--PURCHASE--OR--LEASE--OF--FURNITURE--OR A--MAJOR--HOUSEHOLD--APPLIANCE-~~

~~{3}--"DEALER"--MEANS--A--PERSON--WHO--ENGAGES--IN--THE BUSINESS--OF--SELLING--OR--LEASING--FURNITURE--OR--MAJOR--HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES,-OR--BOTH-~~

~~{4}- {1}--"FURNITURE"--MEANS--ANY--ARTICLE--OF--CONVENIENCE OR--DECORATION--USED--TO--FURNISH--A--RESIDENTIAL--DWELLING,---INCLUDING ANY--CHAIR,-TABLE,-CABINET,-SOFA,-CARPET,-RUG,-CURTAIN,-BEDSTEAD,-OR--CHEST-~~

~~{11}--"FURNITURE"--DOES--NOT--MEAN-~~

~~1--ANY--PERMANENT--FIXTURE--OR--ADJUNCT,---OR~~

~~2--ANY--ARTICLE--THAT--IS--CUSTOM--MADE--OR CUSTOM--FINISHED-~~

~~3--ANY--ARTICLE--THAT--IS--ORDERED--DIRECTLY BY--MAIL-~~

~~{5}- {1}--"MAJOR--HOUSEHOLD--APPLIANCE"--MEANS--ANY CONSUMER--GOODS--INTENDED--FOR--HOUSEHOLD--USE--AND--HAVING--A--PURCHASE PRICE--EXCEEDING--\$200-~~

~~{11}--"MAJOR--HOUSEHOLD--APPLIANCE"--INCLUDES--ANY AIR--CONDITIONER,-AUDIO--OR--STEREO--EQUIPMENT,-WASHING--MACHINE,- DRYER,-DISHWASHER,-FOOD--FREEZER,-REFRIGERATOR,-STOVE,-RANGE,- OVEN,-SEWING--MACHINE,-TELEVISION--SET,-OR--TAPE--OR--VIDEO--RECORDER-~~