(6) Has willfully misrepresented or has willfully failed to furnish any information required to be furnished under this subtitle.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1988.

Approved May 27, 1988.

CHAPTER 775

(House Bill 180)

AN ACT concerning

Consumer Protection - Automotive Crash Parts

the purpose of requiring body shops to disclose to consumers the use of certain crash parts in repairs to motor vehicles; requiring body shops to make a certain statement to consumers under certain circumstances; defining certain terms; requiring insurers and body shops to furnish certain information under certain circumstances; requiring certain notices and statements to be in writing; making a violation of this Act an unfair and deceptive trade practice; making stylistic changes; providing that this Act does not prohibit persons from filing actions for damages or require them to exhaust administrative remedies; providing for the enforcement of this Act and penalties for violations; and generally relating to motor vehicle replacement crash parts.

BY adding to

Article 48A - Insurance Code Section 240-I Annotated Code of Maryland (1986 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Commercial Law Section 13-301(14) . Annotated Code of Maryland (1983 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

BY adding to