

~~(2) A PERSON WHO HAS A PREEXISTING BUSINESS OR PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH, OR THE CONSENT OF, THE PERSON WHO IS THE RECIPIENT OF THE TELEPHONE SOLICITATION.~~

(C) IF THE TELEPHONE SERVICE OR EQUIPMENT OF A PERSON ENGAGED IN TELEPHONE SOLICITATION ALLOWS THAT PERSON TO CHOOSE TO RESTRICT OR DISPLAY THE TRANSMISSION OF THE PERSON'S TELEPHONE NUMBER TO THE RECIPIENT OF A TELEPHONE SOLICITATION, THE PERSON MAY NOT:

(1) INTENTIONALLY USE ANY DEVICE OR METHOD TO BLOCK THE TRANSMISSION OF THE PERSON'S TELEPHONE NUMBER TO A RECIPIENT; OR

(2) TAKE ANY OTHER ACTION TO PREVENT OR CONTROL THE TRANSMISSION OF THE PERSON'S TELEPHONE NUMBER TO A RECIPIENT.

(D) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO:

(1) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000; AND

(2) FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE, A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

Approved May 18, 2001.

CHAPTER 577

(Senate Bill 93)

AN ACT concerning

Teachers' Pension System - Purchase of Service Credit

FOR the purpose of allowing certain members of the Teachers' Pension System to purchase certain service credit; altering the amount that certain members of the Teachers' Pension System shall pay to the Board of Trustees of the State Retirement and Pension System when purchasing certain service credit; and generally relating to purchase of service credit by certain members of the Teachers' Pension System.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

Section 23-308

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - State Personnel and Pensions