

Approved April 30, 1991.

CHAPTER 226
(House Bill 799)

AN ACT concerning

Telephone Solicitations – Credit Services

FOR the purpose of making the Telephone Solicitations Act applicable to certain telephone solicitations involving the provision of certain credit services under certain circumstances; providing that a violation of this Act is a violation of a certain other Act; and generally relating to the applicability of the Telephone Solicitations Act to certain telephone solicitations involving the provision of certain credit services.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article – Commercial Law
Section 14-2201, 14-2202, and 14-2205
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1990 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
Article – Commercial Law
Section 14-2203
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1990 Replacement Volume and 1990 Supplement)

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

Article – Commercial Law

14-2201.

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) “Consumer” means an actual or prospective purchaser, lessee, or recipient of consumer goods, consumer services, or consumer realty.

(c) (1) “Consumer goods”, “consumer realty”, and “consumer services” mean, respectively, goods, real property, and services which are primarily for personal, household, family, or agricultural purposes.

(2) (I) [“Consumer services”] SUBJECT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, “CONSUMER SERVICES” does not include financial services or securities sales.