

(3) THE PERSON MAKING THE SOLICITATION RECEIVES ANY PORTION OF THE SEPARATE TELEPHONE TOLL FEE PAID BY THE CONSUMER.

14-2203.

(a) A contract made pursuant to a telephone solicitation is not valid and enforceable against a consumer unless made in compliance with this subtitle.

(b) A contract made pursuant to a telephone solicitation:

(1) Shall be reduced to writing and signed by the consumer;

(2) Shall comply with all other applicable laws and regulations;

(3) Shall match the description of goods or services as that principally used in the telephone solicitation;

(4) Shall contain the name, address, and telephone number of the seller, the total price of the contract, and a detailed description of the goods or services being sold;

(5) Shall contain, in at least 12-point type, immediately preceding the signature, the following statement:

“You are not obligated to pay any money unless you sign this contract and return it to the seller.”; and

(6) May not exclude from its terms any oral or written representations made by the merchant to the consumer in connection with the transaction.

14-2205.

In addition to any remedies otherwise available at law, a violation of this subtitle shall be:

(1) [an] AN unfair and deceptive trade practice under Title 13, Subtitle 3 of this article; AND

(2) IF THE VIOLATION INVOLVES ~~THE OFFER OF CREDIT OR A SOLICITATION OFFERING CREDIT SERVICES~~, A VIOLATION OF THE MARYLAND CREDIT SERVICES BUSINESSES ACT.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1991.

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