CHAPTER 327

(House Bill 559)

AN ACT concerning

Credit Services Businesses - Advertisements

FOR the purpose of requiring credit services businesses that advertise their services to include certain information in the advertisements; and generally relating to the regulation of advertisements concerning consumer credit services.

BY adding to

Article - Commercial Law

Section 14-1903.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

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

Article - Commercial Law

14-1903.1.

A PERSON WHO ADVERTISES A SERVICE DESCRIBED IN § 14–1901(B)(1) OF THIS SUBTITLE, WHETHER OR NOT A CREDIT SERVICES BUSINESS, SHALL CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY STATE IN EACH ADVERTISEMENT THE NUMBER OF:

- (1) THE LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 14–1903 OF THIS SUBTITLE; OR
- (2) IF NOT REQUIRED TO BE LICENSED, THE EXEMPTION PROVIDED BY THE COMMISSIONER.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1992.

Approved May 12, 1992.

CHAPTER 328

(House Bill 564)

AN ACT concerning

Controlled Dangerous Substances - Lysergic Acid Diethylamide (LSD) - Penalties

FOR the purpose of increasing the maximum penalty for certain offenses involving a