19-120.

- (A) AN ORGANIZATION MAY NOT IN A GROSSLY NEGLIGENT WAY:
- (1) FAIL TO SUBMIT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE WHEN REQUIRED A REGISTRATION STATEMENT, ANNUAL REPORT, OR OTHER INFORMATION; OR
- (2) SUBMIT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE A REGISTRATION STATEMENT, ANNUAL REPORT, OR OTHER INFORMATION THAT IS MATERIALLY FALSE.
- (B) A DIRECTOR, OFFICER, PARTNER, OR TRUSTEE OF AN ORGANIZATION CONDUCTING ELDERLY SOLICITATION MAY NOT CAUSE THE ORGANIZATION TO VIOLATE THIS TITLE IN A GROSSLY NEGLIGENT WAY.

19 121.

- (A) A PERSON WHO COMMITS A WILLFUL VIOLATION OF THIS TITLE OR WHO CAUSES A PERSON TO COMMIT A WILLFUL VIOLATION OF THIS TITLE IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 1 YEAR OR BOTH.
- (B) A PERSON WHO COMMITS A GROSSLY NEGLIGENT VIOLATION OF THIS TITLE OR WHO CAUSES A PERSON TO COMMIT A GROSSLY NEGLIGENT VIOLATION OF THIS TITLE IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$3,000 OR LIABILITY FOR RESTITUTION THAT THE COURT DETERMINES OR BOTH.

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13-301.

Unfair or deceptive trade practices include any:

(14) Violation of a provision of:

(XVII) TITLE 14, SUBTITLE 24 OF THIS ARTICLE, THE MARYLAND DOOR-TO-DOOR SOLICITATIONS ACT; OR

<u>SUBTITLE 24. MARYLAND DOOR-TO-DOOR SOLICITATIONS ACT</u> 14–2401.

- (A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.
 - (B) "CONSUMER" MEANS A NATURAL PERSON.