BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Tax - Property

Section 1-101(a)

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Section 1-101(r) and 7-237 and (dd) through (ll), inclusive, and 9-205

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## BY adding to

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Section 1-101(dd)

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## BY repealing

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Section 7-237

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

## Article - Tax - Property

1-101.

- (a) In this article the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (r) (1) "Manufacturing" means the process of substantially transforming, or a substantial step in the process of substantially transforming, tangible personal property into a new and different article of tangible personal property by use of labor or machinery.
  - (2) "Manufacturing" includes:
    - (I) the operation of:
    - **f(i)** ★ THE OPERATION OF sawmills, grain mills, or feed mills;

and

**{**(ii)**}**2: <u>THE OPERATION OF</u> machinery and equipment used to extract and process minerals, metals, or earthen materials or by-products that result from the extracting or processing;