

AMENDMENTS TO COUNCIL BILL 16-0728 (First Reader Copy)

By: The Judiciary and Legislative Investigations Committee {To be offered on the Council Floor}

Amendment No. 1



On page 1, in line 4, after "event;" insert "<u>creating certain exceptions and exemptions:</u>"; and, on that same page, in line 19, before "IF" insert a new paragraph designation "(1)"; and, on that same page, after line 22, insert:

"(2) INCLUSIONS.

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS ELIGIBLE FOR THE 50% DISCOUNT REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION INCLUDE:

- (I) THE BALTIMORE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION'S MAIN STREET PROGRAMS;
- (II) RETAIL BUSINESS DISTRICT BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS ESTABLISHED UNDER CITY CODE ARTICLE 14, § 11-9. {"BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS"};
- (III) BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND
- (IV) COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS, NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS, HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS, AND ASSOCIATED BLOCK CLUBS.";

and, on page 2, after line 4, insert:

"(c) EXCLUSIONS.

THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF EVENTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE 50% DISCOUNT REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION:

- (1) PUB CRAWLS; AND
- (2) ROAD RACES.".

Amendment No. 2

On page 1, in line 20, after "ORGANIZATION", insert ", OR AN ORGANIZATION THAT PAYS NO FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL TAXES,".

Amendment No. 3

On page 1, in line 8, strike "and 37-2" and substitute "to 37-3"; and, on that same page, in line 19, strike "IF" and substitute, "EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBTITLE, IF"; and, on page 2, in line 5, after "§ 37-2.", insert "EXEMPT FEES.

THE 50% DISCOUNT REQUIRED BY THIS SUBTITLE DOES NOT APPLY TO:

- (1) THE DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS FEE SCHEDULE; OR
- (2) THE PARKING AUTHORITY.

§ 37-3.".

Amendment No. 4

On page 1, in line 4, before "and", insert "providing for a special effective date:"; and, on page 2, in lines 15 and 16, strike "the 30th day after the date it is enacted" and substitute "January 1, 2017".