

## City of Baltimore

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## Legislation Text

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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CITY OF BALTIMORE COUNCIL BILL

Introduced by: The Council President

At the request of: The Administration (Finance Department)

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ORDINANCE concerning **Telecommunications Tax - Rate** 

FOR the purpose of modifying the rate of the telecommunications tax; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the imposition and collection of a telecommunications tax.

BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments

Article 28 - Taxes Section(s) 25-3 Baltimore City Code (Edition 2000)

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

**Baltimore City Code** 

Article 28. Taxes

Subtitle 25. Public Utilities Taxes

Part 1. Telecommunications Tax

§ 2531 Rate of tax.

The rate of the tax imposed by this Part 1 is:

(1) [\$0.35] \$0.40 per month or part of a month for each Centrex local exchange access line or trunk line; and

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(2) [\$3.50] \$4.00 per month or part of a month for every other telecommunications line, whether a residence, business, PBX local exchange, or other wired or wireless telecommunications line.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior Ordinance.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is enacted for all telecommunication lines in service on or after July 1, 2010, and billed on or after August 1, 2010.

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