

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 118

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “and Sale”; strike beginning with “prohibiting” in line 4 down through “proceeds;” in line 8; in line 9, strike “in any manner” and substitute “by donating the goods to certain tax-exempt organizations”; in line 10, after “circumstances;” insert “requiring a dry cleaner or launderer to give certain notice to owners of dry cleaned or laundered goods under certain circumstances;”; in line 11, strike “sale” and substitute “disposal”; and in the same line, strike “an artisan” and substitute “a dry cleaner or launderer”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 25, strike “(I) SUBJECT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, IF”; in the same line, strike the brackets.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 4, inclusive; in line 7, strike “, OR 120 DAYS IF THE COSTS OF THE WORK HAVE BEEN PREPAID,”; in line 25, strike “, IF ANY”; strike beginning with “OR” in line 30 down through “MONTHS,” in line 32; in line 33, strike “artisan,”; and in the same line, strike the second comma.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 35, insert:

“(F) WHEN LAUNDERING OR DRY CLEANING SERVICES ARE PREPAID BUT THE LAUNDERED OR DRY CLEANED GOODS HAVE NOT BEEN RETRIEVED IN 6 MONTHS, THE LAUNDERER OR DRY CLEANER MAY DISPOSE OF THE GOODS BY DONATING THE PROPERTY TO A LOCAL ORGANIZATION THAT IS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION UNDER § 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, IF THE LAUNDERER OR DRY CLEANER:

(Over)

(1) HAS POSTED A NOTICE IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE ON THE PREMISES TO THE EFFECT THAT CLOTHING MUST BE RETRIEVED IN 6 MONTHS OR IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO DISPOSAL, AFTER NOTICE; AND

(2) (I) MAILS WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE DISPOSAL TO THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE OWNER AT LEAST 30 DAYS BEFORE DISPOSING OF THE GOODS; OR

(II) IF THE OWNER'S ADDRESS IS UNKNOWN, ATTEMPTS TO PROVIDE ORAL NOTICE OF THE DISPOSAL BY CALLING THE OWNER AT THE OWNER'S LAST KNOWN TELEPHONE NUMBER AT LEAST 30 DAYS BEFORE DISPOSING OF THE GOODS.”“.