



General Assembly

Amendment

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To: Senate Bill No. 298

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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE REALLOCATION OF CERTAIN STATE FUNDS AND VARIOUS PROVISIONS RELATING TO EDUCATION, PUBLIC SAFETY, GENERAL GOVERNMENT, ELECTIONS, INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES AND WAREHOUSE DISTRIBUTION CENTERS."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 12-412 of the 2026 supplement to the general
4 statutes is amended by adding subdivision (128) as follows (*Effective July*
5 *1, 2026, and applicable to sales occurring on or after July 1, 2026*):

6 (NEW) (128) Articles of clothing or footwear intended to be worn on
7 or about the human body, the cost of which article to the purchaser is
8 less than one hundred dollars. Clothing or footwear does not include

9 (A) any special clothing or footwear primarily designed for athletic
10 activity or protective use and which is not normally worn except when
11 used for the athletic activity or protective use for which it was designed,
12 or (B) jewelry, handbags, luggage, umbrellas, wallets, watches and
13 similar items carried on or about the human body but not worn on the
14 body in the manner characteristic of clothing intended for exemption
15 under this subdivision.

16 Sec. 502. Section 12-407e of the general statutes is repealed. (*Effective*
17 *July 1, 2026*)"

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>July 1, 2026, and applicable to sales occurring on or after July 1, 2026</i>	12-412(128)
Sec. 502	<i>July 1, 2026</i>	Repealer section