

2. Class E (truck) vehicle with a 3/4 ton or less manufacturer's rated capacity; or

3. Class M (multipurpose) vehicle; and

(ii) "Motor vehicle" does not include a motor home as defined by the Motor Vehicle Administration.

(5) "Manufacturer, factory branch, or distributor" means a manufacturer, factory branch, or distributor as defined in § 14-1501 of this subtitle.]

[(b)] (A) If a dealer, manufacturer, factory branch, or distributor is required under a judgment, decree, arbitration award, or settlement agreement to accept, or by voluntary agreement accepts, return of a motor vehicle from a consumer, the consumer shall be entitled to recover from the Motor Vehicle Administration the excise taxes originally paid by the consumer, subject to subsection [(c)] (B) of this section.

[(c)] (B) The excise taxes that a consumer is entitled to recover under this section shall be calculated based on the amount of the purchase price or any portion of the purchase price of the motor vehicle that the dealer, manufacturer, factory branch, or distributor refunds to the consumer.

[(d)] (C) A dealer, manufacturer, factory branch, or distributor who is required under a judgment, decree, arbitration award, or settlement agreement to accept, or who accepts, by voluntary agreement, return of a motor vehicle shall notify the consumer in writing that the consumer is entitled to recover the excise taxes from the Motor Vehicle Administration.

14-1504.

(A) A VIOLATION OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE AN UNFAIR AND DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICE UNDER TITLE 13 OF THE COMMERCIAL LAW ARTICLE.

~~(B) -- A DEALER, MANUFACTURER, FACTORY BRANCH, DISTRIBUTOR, OR DISTRIBUTOR WHOLESALER, OR RETAILER WHO IS IN VIOLATION OF THIS SUBTITLE -- SHALL -- BE -- SUBJECT TO THE ENFORCEMENT PROVISIONS OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION AND A FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$50,000.~~

(B) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER REMEDIES THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, IF A MANUFACTURER, FACTORY BRANCH, OR DISTRIBUTOR IS FOUND TO HAVE ACTED IN BAD FAITH, THE COURT MAY AWARD THE CONSUMER DAMAGES OF UP TO \$10,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1987.