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Proposed Amendments to CB28-2015

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Dear Councilmember:

Attached please find proposed amendments to CB28-2015, for your consideration. The amendments remove electronic smoking devices and vaping from the definitions of smoking and tobacco products, but establish a general prohibition on the use of those devices in public areas and places of employment. The amendments also create a exception for designated areas of restaurants and bars, when the owner of the establishment opts to permit the use of electronic smoking devices and meets certain notice requirements.

Please let me know if you have any questions, and thank you again for your time and attention on this matter.

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Proposed Amendments to Howard County Legislation - CB28-2015

AMENDMENT NO. 1:

On page 7, in line 11, strike the words "OR VAPOR", in line 12 strike the words "AN ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICE", and in line 14, strike the words "OR NICOTINE" and "EXCLUDING PATCHES"

On page 7, in line 19, strikes the words "OR NICOTINE", in line 20, strike the words "ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES", and in line 21, strike the words "EXCLUDING PATCHES"

AMENDMENT NO. 2:

On page 7, in line 27, after the word "smoke" insert "OR VAPE"

On page 8, in line 8, after the word "Smoking" insert "**OR VAPING**" and in line 9, after the word "smoking" insert "**OR VAPING**"

On page 8, in line 24, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 9, in line 2, after the word "smoke" insert "OR VAPOR", and in line 3, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 9, in line 5, after the word "Smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 9, in line 7, after the word "smoke" insert "OR VAPOR", and in line 8, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 9, in line 12, after the word "nonsmoking" insert "OR NON-VAPING"

On page 9, in line 14, after the word "smoking:" insert "OR VAPING", and in line 16, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 10, in line 1, after the words "tobacco products" insert "OR ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES", and in line 2, after the words "tobacco products" insert "OR ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES"

On page 10, in line 4, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING"

On page 10, in line 12, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING" and after the word "smokes" insert "OR VAPING", in line 13, after the word "smoking" insert "OR VAPING", and in line 14, after the word "smoke" insert "OR VAPE"

On page 11, in line 5, after the word "smoke-free" insert "OR VAPOR-FREE"

On page 11, in line 9, after the word "smokes" insert "OR VAPES"

AMENDMENT NO. 3:

On page 9, after line 9, insert "(6) RESTAURANTS OR BARS OR ONE OR MORE DESIGNATED AREAS OF A RESTAURANT OR BAR, IF THE ESTABLISHMENT NOTIFIES ITS PATRONS AND POTENTIAL PATRONS THAT THE USE OF ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES IS ALLOWED ON OR IN DESIGNATED AREAS OF THE PREMISES, PROVIDED THAT SUCH NOTIFICATION IS A PROMINENTLY POSTED NOTICE, AT LEAST 17" X 22", THAT IS CLEARLY READABLE BY ALL PATRONS UPON ENTRY TO THE ESTABLISHMENT.