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House Bill 1386

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 10-1-393.3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
- 2 prohibited use of purchaser's credit card information by merchant, so as to limit the amount
- 3 of surcharges charged by merchants for purchasers' use of credit cards; to provide for related
- 4 matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 Code Section 10-1-393.3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to prohibited
- 8 use of purchaser's credit card information by merchant, is amended by adding a new
- 9 subsection to read as follows:
- 10 "(d.1) A merchant shall be prohibited from requiring a purchaser using a credit card for
- any transaction to pay a surcharge in an amount that exceeds the actual cost to the merchant
- to process the transaction."
- SECTION 2.
- 14 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.