

HB 1022 -- Stolen Information Technology

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This bill specifies that any person who manufactures an article or a product while using stolen or misappropriated information technology will be deemed to engage in an unfair act if the article or product is sold or offered for sale in Missouri and in competition with a product sold or offered for sale in Missouri that was manufactured without using stolen or misappropriated information technology. A person who engages in an unfair act will be subject to the liabilities and remedial provisions of the bill in an action by the Attorney General or a third party who is injured by the act with certain specified exceptions.

The requirements that must be met to prove injury and file a claim are specified in the bill, and only certain remedies, like injunctions and damages, are allowed under specified circumstances.