

HB1384/956386/1

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1384  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 14, strike “any” and substitute “a”; in line 15, after “hospital” insert “, to the extent practicable.”; and in lines 17 and 18, strike “requiring the Department of Disabilities to provide to hospitals in the State a certain list for a certain purpose;”.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 10 through 14, inclusive.

On page 7, after line 24, insert:

**“(2) “DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING CHILD” MEANS A MINOR WHO HAS HEARING LOSS AS DETERMINED THROUGH A UNIVERSAL NEWBORN HEARING SCREENING UNDER § 19-308.5 OF THE HEALTH – GENERAL ARTICLE OR A SIMILAR SCREENING.”;**

and in line 25, strike “(2)” and substitute “(3)”.

On page 8, strike in their entirety lines 7 through 10, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, in line 16, after “CHILD” insert “:

**(1) MAY TAKE ONE COURSE THAT TEACHES A LANGUAGE OR COMMUNICATION MODE AT AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND**

**(2) IS”;**

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in the same line, strike “IS”; in line 17, strike “ANY” and substitute “THE”; in line 18, strike beginning with “THAT” down through “MODE”; in line 27, after “DISCHARGE” insert “AND TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE”; and in line 32, strike “UNBIASED RESOURCES” and substitute “RESOURCES”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 9, strike in their entirety lines 8 through 17, inclusive.