

BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 868

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, after “Hixson,” insert “Taylor,”; in the same line, strike “and Grosfeld” and substitute “Grosfeld, and Carlson”; and in line 13, after “Act;” insert “defining certain terms; declaring the intent of the General Assembly; providing for the application of this Act; providing for a delayed effective date;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, after line 7, insert:

“(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) “BUSINESS ENTITY” MEANS A PERSON CONDUCTING OR OPERATING A TRADE OR BUSINESS IN MARYLAND WHO IS SUBJECT TO THE STATE INCOME TAX.

(3) “PROGRAM” MEANS THE MARYLAND MEALS FOR ACHIEVEMENT PILOT IN-CLASSROOM BREAKFAST PROGRAM.”.

On page 4 in lines 8, 14, and 20, on page 5 in lines 4, 19, and 33, on page 6 in lines 1 and 21, and on page 7 in lines 14 and 17, strike “(A)”, “(B)”, “(C)”, “(D)”, “(E)”, “(F)”, “(G)”, “(H)”, “(I)”, and “(J)”, respectively, and substitute “(B)”, “(C)”, “(D)”, “(E)”, “(F)”, “(G)”, “(H)”, “(I)”, “(J)”, and “(K)”, respectively.

On page 5, in line 35, strike “(G)” and substitute “(H)”.

On page 6, in line 4, strike “(H)” and substitute “(I)”; and in line 15, strike “(I)” and substitute “(J)”.

(Over)

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, in line 30, after “REDUCED” insert “PRICE”; in line 32, strike “A PUBLIC” and substitute “AN”; and in line 34, strike “AND”.

On page 5, in line 3, after “RATE” insert “DETERMINED UNDER § 7-703 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND”

(6) DISBURSE THE PROGRAM FUNDS TO THE COUNTY BOARD OR THE SPONSORING AGENCY”;

in line 11, after the semicolon, insert “AND”; strike in their entirety lines 12 through 16, inclusive; and in line 17, strike “(3)” and substitute “(2)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, strike beginning with “WITH” in line 27 down through “STUDENTS” in line 28 and substitute “PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM”; in line 31, strike “THE” and substitute “A”; and in line 36, strike the colon.

On page 7, strike beginning with “(I)” in line 1 down through “(II)” in line 8; in line 11, strike “AND THE MARYLAND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION”; in line 14, strike “MARYLAND STATE”; in the same line, strike “OF EDUCATION”; in the same line, strike “THE OFFICE OF”; in line 28, strike “7-104” and substitute “7-704”; after line 28, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that funding for this Act for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000 be provided from revenues generated through the enactment of Section 2 of Chapter (H.B. 190) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999, including the revenues attributable to the “floor tax” requirement under Section 5 of that Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) This Act shall be applicable to all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2000 but before January 1, 2004; and

(b) Any excess credits may be carried forward and, subject to the limitations of § 7-704 of the Education Article, may be applied as a credit for taxable years beginning on or after January 1,

2004.”;

in line 29, strike “2.” and substitute “4.”; in line 30, strike “1999” and substitute “2000”; and in the same line, strike “It” and substitute “Subject to Section 3 of this Act, it”.