BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 603

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Hogan" and substitute "Hogan, Ruben, McFadden, Munson, and Van Hollen".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 5, after "items;" insert "requiring the operating funds for each regional higher education center administered by the University System of Maryland to be included in the appropriation of the System office as a separate line item in the budget;"; and in line 11, strike "the executive director and".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3 in line 15, on page 4 in line 13, and on page 5 in line 14, in each instance, after "INSTITUTIONS" insert "OF HIGHER EDUCATION".

On page 3, in line 19, after "INSTITUTION" insert "OF HIGHER EDUCATION".

On page 9, in line 27, after "agency," insert "REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION".

On page 10, in line 9, after "AND" insert "AFFILIATED REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION".

On page 17, in line 2, after "institutions," insert "<u>REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, in line 7, after "(D)" insert "(1)"; in lines 9, 12, and 14, strike "(1)", "(2)", and "(3)", respectively, and substitute "(I)", "(II)", and "(III)", respectively; after line 16, insert:

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"(2) OPERATING FUNDS FOR EACH REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION CENTER THAT IS ADMINISTERED BY THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE APPROPRIATION OF THE SYSTEM OFFICE AS A SEPARATE LINE ITEM IN THE GOVERNOR'S OPERATING BUDGET.".

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 8, in line 9, after "(D)" insert "(<u>1</u>)"; in lines 11, 13, 17, and 19, strike "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)", respectively, and substitute "(<u>I</u>)", "(<u>III</u>)", "(<u>III</u>)", and "(<u>IV</u>)", respectively; in line 22, strike "(5)" and substitute "(<u>V</u>) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION,"; and after line 24, insert:

"(2) WITH RESPECT TO THE REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION CENTERS ADMINISTERED BY THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND, THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND SHALL ASSURE THAT STATE FUNDS FOR THE REGIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION CENTERS ARE SPENT PRUDENTLY AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE GUIDELINES.".

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 15, in line 28, strike "THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF".

On page 16, in line 4, strike "THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO PREPARE" and substitute "THE PREPARATION OF"; and in lines 32 and 33, strike "THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS FOR".