

BY: Commerce and Government Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 293

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 10, after “severable;” insert “declaring the intent of the General Assembly; defining certain terms;”.

On page 2, in line 3, strike “AND” and substitute a comma; in line 4, after the first “CITY” insert a comma; in line 13, strike “WHICH” and substitute “THAT”; in line 14, strike “AS” and substitute “SIMILAR TO”; in the same line, strike “APPEARS” and substitute “SET FORTH IN THIS SUBTITLE”; and strike in their entirety lines 26 and 27.

On page 3, in line 6, before “REQUESTS” insert:

“(5) WRITTEN”;

in lines 21 and 25, strike “(5)” and “(6)”, respectively, and substitute “(6)” and “(7)”, respectively; in line 26, strike “ORAL” and substitute “VERBAL”; and in line 36, strike “PERSONNEL” and substitute “RESPONDERS”.

On page 4, in lines 6 and 12, in each instance, before “JURISDICTION” insert “REQUESTING”; in line 21, strike “RECEIVING” and substitute “REQUESTING”; and in lines 25 and 29, in each instance, strike “EMPLOYEES” and substitute “EMERGENCY RESPONDERS”.

On page 5, in line 22, strike “AIDING” and substitute “RESPONDING”; in line 26, strike “RECEIVING” and substitute “REQUESTING”; and in line 29, strike “ASSISTING” and substitute “RESPONDING”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

(Over)

On page 5, in line 6, strike “ALREADY IN FORCE”; and in line 7, strike “PRIOR TO JULY 1, 2002”.

On page 6, in line 15, strike “HEREUNDER” and substitute “UNDER ARTICLE 4 OR ARTICLE 6 OF THIS COMPACT”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, after line 30, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that the jurisdictions eligible to enter into the Maryland Emergency Management Assistance Compact should adopt the Compact by June 1, 2003.”;

in line 31, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 32, strike “July” and substitute “June”.