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BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1399
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Police Officer Certification – Exception for”; in the same line, after “Force” insert “- Nonfull-Time Officers”; in line 7, after “Commission;” insert “declaring the intent of the General Assembly with respect to the employment of nonfull-time police officers in the Natural Resources Police Force; providing for the termination of this Act;”; and strike beginning with “the” in line 7 down through “officers” in line 8 and substitute “nonfull-time officers”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 8, strike “**UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF**” and substitute “**IN THE SAME DUTY ASSIGNMENT AS**”; in line 10, after “2.” insert “**AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that:**”

(1) the number of nonfull-time police officers employed by the Natural Resources Police Force not exceed 15% of the total number of patrol officers; and

(2) in hiring nonfull-time police officers, the Natural Resources Police Force place the highest priority on hiring:

(i) first, retired Natural Resources Police Officers;

(ii) second, other retired law enforcement officers; and

(iii) third, persons not certified by the Police Training Commission under § 3-216 of the Natural Resources Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act.

(Over)

SECTION 3.”;

in line 11, strike “June” and substitute “July”; and in the same line, after “2013.” insert “It shall remain effective for a period 6 years and, at the end of June 30, 2019, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.