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BY: Senator Muse

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 553
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after “duties;” insert “requiring the Department to submit a certain periodic report to the General Assembly;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 18, after “PROGRAM” insert “, INCLUDING REGULATIONS DESIGNED TO INCREASE PARTICIPATION OF MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES IN THE PROGRAM”.

On page 4, after line 24, insert:

“(D) EVERY 6 MONTHS BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2015, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON REGULATIONS ADOPTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(5) OF THIS SECTION TO INCREASE PARTICIPATION OF MINORITY BUSINESSES IN THE PROGRAM AND THE OUTCOME OF THAT EFFORT.”