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BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 448

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "or" in line 5 down through "welfare" in line 6 and substitute "<u>to a certain child</u>"; and strike beginning with "or" in line 7 down through "welfare" in line 8 and substitute "<u>to a certain child</u>".

On page 2, after line 4, insert:

"BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

<u> Article – Family Law</u>

Section 5-324(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2012 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)";

and in line 7, strike "5-324(b) and".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, strike beginning with "or" in line 4 down through "disability" in line 6.

On page 4, strike beginning with "**DIRECT**" in line 29 down through "**INCLUDING**" in line 31 and substitute "**FOR A CHILD WITH A DISABILITY, DIRECT THE PROVISION OF**".

On page 5, in line 2, after "EFFECTIVE" insert "<u>UNTIL</u>"; strike line 3 in its entirety; in lines 4 and 6, strike "(I)" and "(II)", respectively, and substitute "<u>(1)</u>" and "<u>(2)</u>", respectively; in lines 6 and 9, strike "1." and "2.", respectively, and substitute "<u>(I)</u>"

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and "(III)", respectively; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 12 down through "ENDS" in line 14.

On page 6, strike beginning with "DIRECT" in line 11 down through "INCLUDING" in line 13 and substitute "FOR A CHILD WITH A DISABILITY, DIRECT THE PROVISION OF"; in line 18, after "EFFECTIVE" insert "UNTIL"; strike line 19 in its entirety; in lines 20 and 22, strike "(I)" and "(II)", respectively, and substitute "(1)" and "(2)", respectively; in lines 22 and 25, strike "1." and "2.", respectively, and substitute "(I)" and "(II)", respectively; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 28 down through "ENDS" in line 30.

On page 7, in lines 25 and 27, in each instance, strike the brackets.

Strike beginning with "OR" in line 27 on page 7 down through "AND" in line 3 on page 8.

On page 9, in line 24, strike "OR C".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, in line 5, on page 6, in line 21, and on page 8, in line 32, in each instance, after "CARE" insert "<u>IF ADULT GUARDIANSHIP IS NECESSARY AND THERE</u> IS NO LESS RESTRICTIVE ALTERNATIVE THAT MEETS THE NEEDS OF THE CHILD".