

HB0360/614938/1

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 360

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 2, 5, 11, and 15, in each instance, before “Foster” insert “Orphans and”; in line 6, after the second “the” insert “funding.”; and in line 9, strike “make” and substitute “submit”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in lines 2, 24, and 26, in each instance, after “FOR” insert “ORPHANS AND”; in line 10, after “UNDERGRADUATE” insert “, PROFESSIONAL, OR GRADUATE”; after line 17, insert:

“(D) “ORPHAN” MEANS A CHILD WHO HAS BEEN LEGALLY DETERMINED NOT TO HAVE PARENTS BECAUSE OF THE PARENTS’:

(1) DEATH OR DISAPPEARANCE;

(2) ABANDONMENT OR DESERTION OF THE CHILD; OR

(3) SEPARATION FROM THE CHILD.”;

in line 23, strike “(D)” and substitute “(E)”; and in line 29, after “BY” insert “AN ORPHAN OR”.

On page 3, in line 3, strike “AN” and substitute “A GRADUATE, PROFESSIONAL, OR”; in line 4, strike “A PUBLIC” and substitute “AN”; in line 9, after the second “FOR” insert “GRADUATE, PROFESSIONAL, OR”; in line 15, strike “THE” and substitute “(A) SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS APPROPRIATED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE”; after line 17, insert:

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“(B) THE GOVERNOR ANNUALLY SHALL INCLUDE AN APPROPRIATION OF \$100,000 IN THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE COMMISSION TO DISBURSE ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.”;

and in line 24, strike “OR A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY OF THE STATE”.

On page 4, after line 3, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That on or before September 1, 2020, the Maryland Higher Education Commission shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly regarding:

(1) how many individuals receive assistance annually under Title 18, Subtitle 31 of the Education Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act;

(2) the amount of each award; and

(3) how many individuals, if any, are placed on a waiting list or denied assistance under Title 18, Subtitle 31 of the Education Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act.”;

in line 4, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; in line 7, after “for” insert “Orphans and”; and strike in their entirety lines 9 through 14, inclusive.