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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1582

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 9, strike "<u>supervised by</u>" and substitute "<u>under the direct supervision of</u>"; in line 10, after "<u>records</u>" insert "<u>, subject to a certain condition</u>"; and in line 18, after "Program" insert "for certain children in out—of—home placement".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, strike beginning with "<u>CHILD</u>" in line 13 down through the comma in line 14; in line 18, after "(B)" insert "(1)"; in the same line, strike "<u>THE</u>" and substitute "<u>SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE</u>"; in line 19, strike "<u>SUPERVISED BY</u>" and substitute "<u>UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF</u>"; and after line 22, insert:

"(2) IF WRITTEN CONSENT IS REQUIRED BY LAW, THE STATE MEDICAL DIRECTOR FOR CHILDREN RECEIVING CHILD WELFARE SERVICES AND PERSONNEL UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF THE STATE MEDICAL DIRECTOR FOR CHILDREN RECEIVING CHILD WELFARE SERVICES MAY HAVE ACCESS TO THE INFORMATION OR RECORDS ONLY AFTER THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT HAS OBTAINED WRITTEN CONSENT UNDER § 1–212 OF THIS ARTICLE."

On page 9, in line 13, after "PROGRAM" insert "FOR CHILDREN IN OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT"; strike beginning with the first "for" in line 24 down through "information" in line 26 and substitute "in partnership with the Chesapeake Regional Information System for the purpose of providing the Department access to integrated health information on children in out-of-home placement"; and in lines 31 and 32, strike "receiving child welfare services" and substitute "in out-of-home placement".

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On page 10, in line 3, after "Health," insert "the Maryland Chapter of the Academy of Pediatrics, the Citizens Review Board for Children, Maryland Legal Aid, Advocates for Children and Youth, the Mental Health Association of Maryland, the Maryland Dental Action Coalition, and other interested stakeholders,"; and in lines 5, 7 and 8, 12, and 17, in each instance, strike "receiving child welfare services" and substitute "in out–of–home placement".