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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 421
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “providing” in line 5 through “Act;” in line 6; in line 12, after the semicolon insert “requiring certain State agencies to maintain certain meeting minutes and recordings on their websites for a certain number of years after certain meetings;”; in line 16, after “Elections;” insert “requiring the Department of Information Technology to provide certain staff, support, and equipment to the Maryland Transportation Authority;”; in line 20, strike “10–402(a) and”; in line 25, strike “10–407(a) and”; and strike in its entirety line 28.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 4, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 3 and 4, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 9 on page 3 through line 1 on page 4, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, in line 13, strike “AND”; in line 16, strike the period and substitute “; AND”; in line 17, strike “(3) (I)” and substitute “(III)”; in the same line, strike “EXCEPT” and substitute “EXCEPT”; in the same line, strike “SUBPARAGRAPH (II)” and substitute “PARAGRAPH (3)”; in line 18, strike “PARAGRAPH, THE AUTHORITY SHALL MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE” and substitute “SUBSECTION,”; in line 20, strike “(II)” and substitute “(3)”; in line 21, after “AVAILABLE” insert “ON ITS WEBSITE”; and after line 22 insert:

“(4) THE AUTHORITY SHALL MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE:

(Over)

(I) MEETING MINUTES MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING;

(II) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED VIDEO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE VIDEO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND

(III) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED AUDIO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE AUDIO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING.”.

On page 5, in line 15, strike “AND”; in line 18, strike the period and substitute “; AND”; in line 19, strike “(2)” and substitute “(III)”; in the same line, strike “THE STATE BOARD SHALL MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE”; and after line 21, insert:

“(2) THE STATE BOARD SHALL MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE:

(I) MEETING MINUTES MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND

(II) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED VIDEO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE VIDEO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING.”.

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On page 6, in line 6, strike “AND”; in line 9, strike the period and substitute “; AND”; in line 10, strike “(3)” and substitute “(III)”; in the same line, strike “THE BOARD SHALL MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE”; and after line 11, insert:

“(3) THE BOARD SHALL MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE:

(I) MEETING MINUTES MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND

(II) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED VIDEO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE VIDEO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING.”;

in line 25, strike “AND”; and in line 28, strike the period and substitute “; AND”.

On page 7, in line 1, strike “(3)” and substitute “(III)”; in the same line, strike “THE COMMISSION SHALL MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE”; and after line 2, insert:

“(3) THE COMMISSION SHALL MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE:

(I) MEETING MINUTES MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND

(II) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED VIDEO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE VIDEO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING.”;

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in line 12, strike “AND”; in line 15, strike the period and substitute a semicolon; in line 16, strike “(B)” and substitute “(3)”; in the same line, strike “THE AUTHORITY SHALL MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE LIVE” and substitute “LIVE”; and in line 17, strike “PORTION OF A MEETING THAT IS HELD IN OPEN SESSION” and substitute “OPEN MEETING OF THE AUTHORITY THAT IS HELD AT:”

(I) THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE AUTHORITY; OR

(II) ANY OTHER LOCATION WHERE THE AUTHORITY HELD AT LEAST 10 MEETINGS DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR; AND

(4) A COMPLETE AND UNEDITED ARCHIVED VIDEO RECORDING OF EACH OPEN MEETING FOR WHICH LIVE VIDEO STREAMING WAS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER ITEM (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE MEETING.

(B) THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SHALL PROVIDE TO THE AUTHORITY THE TECHNICAL STAFF, SUPPORT, AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO LIVESTREAM THE OPEN MEETINGS OF THE AUTHORITY”.