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BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 533

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Advisory Committee – Membership" and substitute "– Advisory Committee Membership and Registration of Horses"; in line 5, after "State;" insert "altering the circumstances under which a horse may be registered with the Maryland Horse Breeders Association, Inc.;"; in line 7, strike "Advisory Committee"; and in line 15, after "(b)" insert "and 11–538".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 27, insert:

"11–538.

A horse may be registered with the Maryland Horse Breeders Association, Inc., only if the horse was foaled in Maryland as shown by a foal certificate from the Jockey Club and:

- (1) the breeder of the horse has maintained a place of abode in Maryland for more than 9 months immediately before registration;
- (2) the breeder of the horse keeps breeding stock continually in Maryland;
- (3) the horse was conceived in Maryland during the previous season; [or]
- (4) the horse's dam was sent to Maryland to foal and after foaling was covered ONLY by a Maryland stallion during the season of the horse's birth; OR

(Over)

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(5) IF THE HORSE'S DAM DIES, IS PERMANENTLY RETIRED, OR IS CERTIFIED BY A VETERINARIAN AS UNABLE TO BE BRED, THE HORSE RESIDED IN THE STATE FOR AT LEAST 6 MONTHS AFTER THE HORSE WAS FOALED.".