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**TO:** House Health and Government Operations Committee  
**FROM:** Department of Information Technology  
**RE:** Senate Bill 982 - Information Technology - Modernization of Information Technology Projects  
**DATE:** March 28, 2024  
**POSITION:** Support w/ Amendments

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The Honorable Joseline A. Pena-Melnyk  
House Health and Government Operations Committee  
Room 241, House Office Building  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Chairwoman Pena-Melnyk,

The Department of Information Technology (DoIT) would like to support with amendments, Senate Bill 982 - Information Technology - Modernization of Information Technology Projects. The Department worked on amendments with the sponsor to the original bill to combine elements of two of our departmental bills from the beginning of session which both have to do with modernization of information technology throughout the state. This bill makes changes to the major information technology development process as well as renaming the MITDP fund to the Information Technology Investment Fund. We also worked with the sponsor to change the purpose and make up of the Modernize Maryland Oversight Commission and rename it to the Modernize Maryland Commission.

While we appreciate the partnership with the sponsor on this bill we still have some amendments that we would like to see and have brought these amendments to the attention of the committee.

For these reasons, the Maryland Department of Information Technology respectfully requests a favorable report with amendments on Senate Bill 982.

Best,

Katie Olson Savage  
Secretary  
Department of Information Technology