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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 910

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 2 and 3, strike "**Diploma and Degree Employment Discrimination**" and substitute "**Advancing Skills–Based Hiring**"; in line 7, after "education" insert "and advancing skills–driven education and training, hiring, and internal advancement practices"; and in line 8, strike "diploma and degree employment discrimination" and substitute "the advancement of skills—based hiring".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, strike beginning with the colon in line 14 down through "(2)" in line 18; in line 23, strike "employers" and substitute "occupations".

On page 2, in line 3, strike "employers" and substitute "<u>industries and</u> occupations"; in line 14, strike "and"; after line 16, insert:

"(vi) additional data found to be relevant by the Governor's Workforce Development Board; and";

in line 19, strike "January" and substitute "July"; in line 20, after the first "the" insert "Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the"; and strike beginning with ", in" in line 21 down through "Article" in line 22.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 22, insert:

"SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is contingent on \$150,000 being provided in the fiscal year 2025 budget for program P00A01.09 Governor's Workforce Development Board within the Maryland Department of Labor for the purpose of conducting the study required under Section 1 of this Act. If the

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appropriation is not provided in the fiscal year 2025 budget, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be null and void.";

in line 23, strike "2." and substitute " $\underline{3}$."; and in the same line, after "That" insert ", subject to Section 2 of this Act,".