BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 270 (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "establishing" in line 3 down through "Blind" in line 7 and substitute "<u>requiring the Board of Directors of the Maryland School for the Blind to include certain</u> persons; and requiring the Board to comply with the State's Open Meetings Act"; strike in their entirety lines 9 through 12, inclusive, and substitute:

"<u>Article - Education</u> <u>Section 8-313</u> <u>Annotated Code of Maryland</u> (1992 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

<u>BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,</u> <u>Article - State Government</u> <u>Section 10-502(h)(2)</u> <u>Annotated Code of Maryland</u> (1995 Replacement Volume)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 through 3, strike beginning with line 15 on page 1 through line 14 on page 3, inclusive, and substitute:

"Article - Education

<u>8-313.</u>

(A) THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MARYLAND SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND SHALL INCLUDE:

(Over)

(1) ONE MEMBER APPOINTED FROM THE SENATE OF MARYLAND BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE; AND

(2) ONE MEMBER APPOINTED FROM THE MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE.

(B) THE BOARD SHALL COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 5 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

Article - State Government

10-502.

(h) (2) "Public body" includes:

(I) any multimember board, commission, or committee appointed by the Governor or the chief executive authority of a political subdivision of the State, if the entity includes in its membership at least 2 individuals not employed by the State or a political subdivision of the State; AND

(II) THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MARYLAND SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 15, after "SECTION" strike "3." and substitute "2.".