

BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 598

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 9, after “employees” insert “unless the Governor submits a certain report to the General Assembly”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 20, strike “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION” and substitute “EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION”; and in line 21, after “REGULATIONS” insert “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION”.

On page 2, after line 11, insert:

“(C) THE ADJUSTMENT UNDER THIS SECTION MAY BE LESS THAN THE ADJUSTMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION IF THE GOVERNOR REPORTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE REASONS FOR THE LOWER COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT.”;

and in line 12, strike “(C)” and substitute “(D)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in line 17, strike “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION” and substitute “EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION”; in line 18, after “REGULATIONS” insert “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION”; after line 30, insert:

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ADJUSTMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION IF THE GOVERNOR REPORTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE REASONS FOR THE LOWER COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT.”;

and in line 31, strike “(C)” and substitute “(D)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, in line 36, strike “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION” and substitute “EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION”; and in line 37, after “REGULATIONS” insert “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION”.

On page 3, after line 12, insert:

“(C) THE ADJUSTMENT UNDER THIS SECTION MAY BE LESS THAN THE ADJUSTMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION IF THE GOVERNOR REPORTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE REASONS FOR THE LOWER COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT.”;

and in line 13, strike “(C)” and substitute “(D)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, in line 18, strike “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION” and substitute “EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION”; in line 19, after “REGULATIONS” insert “CONSISTENT WITH SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION”; after line 33, insert:

“(C) THE ADJUSTMENT UNDER THIS SECTION MAY BE LESS THAN THE ADJUSTMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B)(1) OF THIS SECTION IF THE GOVERNOR REPORTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE REASONS FOR THE LOWER COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT.”;

and in line 34, strike “(C)” and substitute “(D)”.