BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 708
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, before "Bowie" insert "Higher Education -"; in lines 2, 3, 11, and 14, in each instance, before "Violence" insert "Alternative Dispute Resolution and"; in line 3, strike "creating" and substitute "recognizing"; in line 6, after "program" insert ", implement violence prevention networks, provide certain information and training, academic support, and other services regarding violence prevention education, and provide certain educational and academic support regarding violence prevention"; in the same line, after "encouraging" insert "individuals and groups operating"; and in line 10, strike "creation" and substitute "recognition".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in lines 21 and 27, in each instance, before "VIOLENCE" insert "ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION AND"; in line 24, strike "THAT OFFERS" and substitute "IN WHICH"; and in the same line, after "TRAINING" insert "IS OFFERED".

On page 2, in lines 4 and 14, in each instance, after "STATE" insert "OR AVAILABLE TO THE STATE"; strike beginning with "AND" in line 4 down through "PUBLIC" in line 6 and substitute:

"(2) MAY SERVE AS A REFERRAL SOURCE FOR VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OPERATING IN THE STATE OR AVAILABLE TO THE STATE;

(3) MAY IMPLEMENT VOLUNTEER PREVENTION NETWORKS THROUGHOUT THE STATE;

(4) MAY PROVIDE RESEARCH AND EVALUATION SERVICES IN THE AREA

OF VIOLENCE PREVENTION;

(5) MAY PROVIDE INFORMATION SERVICES REGARDING VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES;

(6) MAY PROVIDE OR FACILITATE VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMS;

(7) MAY PROVIDE MEDIA AND MEDIA-RELATED SERVICES IN THE AREA OF VIOLENCE PREVENTION; AND

(8) MAY PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL AND ACADEMIC SUPPORT TO DISRUPTIVE YOUTH";

and in lines 16 and 17, strike "WITH REASONABLE PROMPTNESS".

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, in line 20, after "for" insert "Alternative Dispute Resolution and".