BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1082

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 23, strike "contracts or agreements" and substitute "solicitations"; and in the same line, after "clause;" insert "authorizing the waiver of certain requirements of this Act under certain circumstances; requiring the Chief of Information Technology to report to certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, strike beginning with "<u>PROVIDES</u>" in line 14 down through "<u>CONTRACT</u>" in line 15 and substitute "<u>PROCURES GOODS OR SERVICES UNDER A STATE PROCUREMENT CONTRACT AS DETERMINED BY THE CHIEF OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY</u>"; in line 20, after "IMPAIRED" insert ", INCLUDING REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO:

(I) OPERATING SYSTEMS;

(II) APPLICATIONS PROGRAMS;

(III) FORMAT OF DATA; AND

(IV) COMPATIBILITY AND USE WITH OTHER INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING NETWORK AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES";

in lines 22 and 23, strike "<u>CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO</u>" and substitute "<u>SOLICITATION ISSUED</u>"; and in line 24, after "<u>OF</u>" insert "<u>NEW OR UPGRADED</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 8 and 9, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 36 on page 8 through line 13 on page 9, inclusive and substitute:

"(C) THE CHIEF MAY WAIVE THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (B)(2)(I) OF THIS SECTION IF:

(1) THE CHIEF, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE BOARD HAS DETERMINED THAT INCLUSION OF THE TECHNOLOGY ACCESS CLAUSE IN A PARTICULAR SOLICITATION WOULD RESULT IN AN UNDUE BURDEN OR EXPENSE; AND

(2) THE DIRECTOR OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES CONCURS WITH THE DETERMINATION MADE UNDER ITEM (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.".

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, in line 24, after "ENACTED," insert "<u>That the Chief of Information Technology,</u> in consultation with the Information Technology Board, shall report to the Senate Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee and the House Commerce and Government Matters Committee, on or before December 15, 1998, in accordance with § 2-1312 of the State Government Article, on the implementation of this Act, including its fiscal impact and its impact on the operations of the State.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,".