

BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 447

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after "lines;" insert "defining certain terms;"; and after line, 13 insert:

"BY adding to

Article - Health Occupations

Section 14-101(k-1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 17, insert:

"(K-1) (1) "PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS" MEANS THE DIAGNOSIS UPON WHICH TREATMENT, THERAPY, OR PROGNOSIS IS BASED.

(2) "PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS" DOES NOT INCLUDE THE PERFORMANCE OR REFERRAL OF A LABORATORY TEST, OTHER THAN ANATOMICAL PATHOLOGY, BY A CLINICAL LABORATORY LICENSED IN THE STATE."