

BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 440

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In the sponsor line, strike "Senator Conway" and substitute "Baltimore City Senators".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

At the top of the bill, insert "EMERGENCY BILL"; in line 4, strike "authorizing" and substitute "requiring"; and in line 6, after "establishment;" insert "repealing a provision authorizing the Mayor and City Council to authorize the Board to enforce the laws and regulations of Baltimore City that govern adult entertainment business licenses; requiring the Board to enforce the laws and regulations of Baltimore City that govern adult entertainment business licenses; providing for the application of this Act; providing that certain matters pending before certain government units of Baltimore City shall be dismissed and come under the jurisdiction of the Board; making this Act an emergency measure:".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In line 17, strike "(A)"; in the same line, strike "MAY" and substitute "SHALL: (1)"; in line 18, strike "GOVERNING" and substitute "TO GOVERN"; strike beginning with the period in line 19 down through "enforce" in line 21 and substitute "; AND (2) ENFORCE"; and strike beginning with "this" in line 23 down through "1999" in line 24 and substitute "all new matters arising on or after the effective date of this Act that relate to the licensing, operation, and enforcement of laws and regulations of Baltimore City that govern adult entertainment business establishments shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the Baltimore City Board of License Commissioners.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That all matters that arose before the effective date of this Act relating to the licensing, operation, and enforcement of laws and regulations of Baltimore City that govern adult entertainment business establishments that are still pending before other government units of Baltimore City on September 1, 1999, shall be dismissed and come

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under the jurisdiction of the Baltimore City Board of License Commissioners.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, has been passed by a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted”.