

BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 142

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, after “(Administration)” insert “and Senators Currie, Lawlah, McFadden, and Middleton”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, strike beginning with “requiring” in line 6 through “into” in line 7 and substitute “authorizing the Governor to include in the budget bill for certain fiscal years an appropriation to”; in line 8, strike “oversee the” and substitute “advise the Governor on”; and in line 10, after “Board;” insert “specifying the powers and duties of the Governor regarding the Fund:”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 1, strike “CREDITED” and substitute “APPROPRIATED IN THE STATE BUDGET”; strike beginning with “UNDER” in line 1 through “SECTION” in line 2; strike beginning with “BY” in line 6 through “FUND” in line 9 and substitute “FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002 AND EACH SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEAR, THE GOVERNOR MAY INCLUDE IN THE BUDGET BILL AN APPROPRIATION TO THE JOSEPH FUND EQUAL TO”; in line 10, after “SURPLUS” insert “AS OF THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR TWO YEARS PRIOR TO THE FISCAL YEAR FOR WHICH THE APPROPRIATION IS PROPOSED”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, in line 14, after “GOVERNOR” insert “WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE”; in line 15, after “FROM” insert “THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF”; strike beginning with “A” in line 22 through “INTERFAITH” in line 23; strike beginning with the comma in line 25 through “EXPERTISE” in line 26; after line 30, insert:

“(3) THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL REFLECT THE GEOGRAPHIC, RACIAL, AND GENDER MAKE UP OF THE STATE.”;

(Over)

and in line 31, strike “(3)” and “6”, respectively, and substitute “(4)” and “4”, respectively.

On page 4, in line 13 strike “(4)” and substitute “(5)”; in line 15, strike “(5) (I)” and substitute “(6)”; and strike in their entirety lines 17 through 20, inclusive, and substitute:

“(7) A MEMBER OF THE BOARD MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD BUT IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.”;

and in line 21, strike “(6)” and substitute “(8)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, in line 23, strike “OVERSEE” and substitute “ADVISE THE GOVERNOR ON”; in line 25, after the semicolon insert “AND”; strike beginning with the semicolon in line 27 through “AND” in line 29 and substitute a period; in line 30, strike “(IV)” and substitute “(3)”; in line 31, strike “AUTHORIZE THE EXPENDITURE OF ANY MONEYS” and substitute “THE BOARD MAY FORWARD RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNOR FOR EXPENDITURES”; and strike beginning with “NOTWITHSTANDING” in line 32 through “\$10,000,000.” in line 34 and substitute “THE GOVERNOR SHALL REVIEW AND RESPOND TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD IN A TIMELY MANNER.”

(2) SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE GOVERNOR MAY AUTHORIZE THE EXPENDITURE OF MONEYS FROM THE FUND.

(3) IF THE GOVERNOR AUTHORIZES AN EXPENDITURE FROM THE FUND NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD, THE GOVERNOR SHALL NOTIFY THE BOARD PRIOR TO THE AUTHORIZATION.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, in line 1, strike “(2)” and substitute “(4)”; in the same line strike “(3)” and substitute “(5)”; in line 2, strike “BOARD” and substitute “GOVERNOR”; in line 4, strike “(3)” and substitute “(5)”; in line 6, strike “BOARD” and substitute “GOVERNOR”; in line 10, strike “10%” and substitute “25%”; and after line 10, insert:

“(6) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION IN THIS SUBSECTION, MONEYS MAY NOT BE EXPENDED FROM THE FUND UNTIL THE

BALANCE IN THE FUND HAS REACHED \$15,000,000.”;

in line 11, strike “(4)” and substitute “(7)”; in the same line, strike “MONEYS FROM”; in line 14, strike “EXPENDITURES FROM”; in line 21, strike “(5)” and substitute “(8)”; in the same line, strike “EXPENDITURES FROM”; strike beginning with “EXCEPT” in line 22 through “WHEN” in line 23 and substitute “UNLESS THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION MAKES THE CERTIFICATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (5) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND”; and strike in their entirety lines 25 and 26 and substitute:

“(9) EXPENDITURES FROM THE FUND MAY BE:

(I) INCLUDED IN THE STATE BUDGET SUBJECT TO APPROPRIATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; OR

(II) MADE BY BUDGET AMENDMENT TO THE EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT OF THE APPROPRIATE UNIT OF STATE GOVERNMENT ONLY AFTER THE PROPOSED BUDGET AMENDMENT HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE SENATE BUDGET AND TAXATION COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On pages 5 and 6, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 33 on page 5 through line 2 on page 6, inclusive, and substitute:

“(1) five in 2000;

(2) four in 2001; and

(3) four in 2002.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, after line 2, insert:

(Over)

“SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That for Fiscal Year 2001, the Governor may include in the budget bill an appropriation to the Joseph Fund equal to the lesser of:

- (i) 40% of the unappropriated surplus as of June 30, 1999; or
- (ii) \$10,000,000.”;

and in line 3, strike “3.” and substitute “4.”.