

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 7

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Wood" and substitute "Wood, W. Baker, Bobo, Bozman, Bronrott, Brown, Cadden, Cane, Carlson, Clagett, Cole, Conroy, Conway, D'Amato, DeCarlo, Donoghue, Doory, Dypski, Finifter, Franchot, Frush, Giannetti, Goldwater, Griffith, Hammen, Healey, Hecht, Heller, Hubers, James, V. Jones, Klausmeier, Krysiak, Love, Mandel, Marriott, McHale, Mitchell, Moe, Morhaim, Nathan-Pulliam, Patterson, Pendergrass, Petzold, Pitkin, Rosso, Sophocleus, Stern, Turner, Weir, Zirkin, and Hubbard".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 8, after "abuse" insert "assessment and"; in line 10, after "reports;" insert "expressing the intent of the General Assembly about spending levels;"; and in line 18, after "terms;" insert "providing for the application of this Act;".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 22, strike "ACHIEVE" and substitute "MAXIMIZE THE LIKELIHOOD OF".

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, in line 4, after "(3)" insert "A PLAN FOR"; strike beginning with ", INCLUDING" in line 4 down through "PAY," in line 5; in line 5, after "FOR" insert "BOTH"; in line 6, after "WELFARE" insert "AND ADDICTIONS"; in the same line, strike "TO BECOME QUALIFIED ADDICTIONS SPECIALISTS" and substitute "WHO ACHIEVE SPECIFIED LEVELS OF EXPERTISE"; in line 15, strike "REQUIRING THAT" and substitute "SPECIFYING THE CIRCUMSTANCE WHEN"; in the same line, after "DEPARTMENT" insert "SHALL"; in line 17, after "ORDER" insert "COMPREHENSIVE"; in the same line, after "ALCOHOL" insert "ASSESSMENT AND"; strike beginning with "IN" in line 17 down through "ABUSE" in line 18; in lines 20 and 29, in each instance, after "ABUSE" insert "ASSESSMENT AND"; in line 30, after the first "THE" insert "ASSESSMENT AND"; in line 31, strike the first "SUCH" and substitute "THE".

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ASSESSMENT AND"; and in the same line, strike the second "SUCH" and substitute "THE".

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, in line 9, strike "DECEMBER 15, 2000" and substitute "JANUARY 1, 2001"; in the same line, strike "6 MONTHS" and substitute "YEAR"; in line 10, strike "DECEMBER 15" and substitute "JANUARY 1"; in line 12, after "ARTICLE," insert "THE ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS COMMITTEE OF"; and in line 13, strike "COMPLYING WITH THE PROVISIONS" and substitute "DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING THE STATEWIDE PROTOCOL DESCRIBED UNDER § 5-1202".

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, after line 18, insert:

"(A) IN DEVELOPING THE STATEWIDE PROTOCOL UNDER § 5-1202 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE SECRETARY OF HUMAN RESOURCES AND THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE SHALL COORDINATE WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS DEVELOPED BY THE MARYLAND DRUG TREATMENT TASK FORCE."; in line 19, before "ON" insert "(B)"; in line 29, after "ENACTED," insert:

"That it is the intent of the General Assembly that the Governor allocate no more than \$16 million per year to the integration of child welfare and substance abuse treatment act."; in lines 31, 33, and 35, in each instance strike "At least"; in line 31, after "abuse" insert "assessment and"; in line 32, after "parents" insert "and their children, and the provision of coordinated prevention and treatment services to at-risk parents and their children"; in line 35, after "welfare" insert "and addictions"; strike beginning with "become" in line 35 down through "Specialists" in line 36 and substitute "achieve specified levels of expertise as determined by the protocol developed under § 5-1202 of the Family Law Article as enacted by Section 1 of this Act"; and after line 36, insert:

"SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the funds appropriated for the purposes of Section 2 of this Act shall be in addition to any funds appropriated for similar purposes for fiscal year 2001.".

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, in lines 1 and 6, strike "3." and "4.", respectively, and substitute "4." and "6.", respectively; and after line 5, insert:

"SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may be construed only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to a petition

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for a child in need of assistance under Title 3, Subtitle 8 of the Courts Article, before the effective date of this Act.”.