

BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 206

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after “eligibility” insert “and renewal”; and in line 10, strike “and 18-2205” and substitute “, 18-2205, and 18-2206(a)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, after line 2, insert:

“18-2206.

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, each recipient of a Maryland teacher scholarship may renew the award three times if the recipient:

(1) Continues to be a resident of the State;

(2) Continues to be a full-time student OR PART-TIME GRADUATE STUDENT at an eligible institution [and takes at least 12 semester hours of courses each semester or its equivalent] as determined by the Administration;

(3) Has achieved a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale and maintains this minimum cumulative grade point average throughout the remainder of this award, or failing to do so, provides evidence of extenuating circumstances;

(4) In the judgment of the institution, is making satisfactory progress toward a degree; and

(5) Maintains the standards of the institution.”.