BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 929

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 9, after "Maryland;" insert "requiring the Central Payroll Bureau to deduct a certain amount from the biweekly salaries of certain employees;"; in the same line, strike "State make a certain annual grant to" and substitute "Department of Human Resources provide"; in line 10, strike "to ensure that pension benefits are paid at the level required" and substitute "with certain funding on a quarterly basis"; and in line 11, strike ", certification, and payment of that annual grant" and substitute "and payment of these funds".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 28, insert:

"(3) WHILE AN EMPLOYEE REMAINS A PARTICIPANT IN THE ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY RETIREMENT AND PENSION SYSTEM, THE STATE CENTRAL PAYROLL BUREAU SHALL DEDUCT FROM THE EMPLOYEE'S BIWEEKLY SALARY AN EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTION THAT EQUALS THE EMPLOYEE'S SALARY MULTIPLIED BY THE EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTION RATE CERTIFIED BY THE ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY RETIREMENT AND PENSION SYSTEM UNDER SUBSECTION (D)(2) OF THIS SECTION.";

in line 32, strike "COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY" and substitute "<u>DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES</u>"; in the same line, strike "PROVIDE" and substitute "<u>PAY ON A QUARTERLY BASIS</u>"; strike beginning with "EACH" in line 33 down through "YEAR." in line 36 and substitute "<u>:</u>

(I) THE AMOUNT DEDUCTED BY THE STATE CENTRAL PAYROLL BUREAU FROM AN EMPLOYEE'S BIWEEKLY SALARY FOR THAT QUARTER AS PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (C)(3) OF THIS SECTION; AND

(II) AN EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION FOR THAT QUARTER EQUAL TO THE TOTAL OF THE EMPLOYEE SALARIES SUBJECT TO A DEDUCTION UNDER SUBSECTION (C)(3) OF THIS SECTION MULTIPLIED BY THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES UNDER PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION.";

and in line 39, strike "COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY" and substitute "<u>DEPARTMENT</u> OF HUMAN RESOURCES".

On page 3, in line 2, strike "PREVIOUS" and substitute "NEXT"; strike beginning with the first "THE" in line 4 down through "SUBSECTION" in line 5 and substitute "IF THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE CERTIFIED UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION IS GREATER THAN THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE PAID BY THE STATE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES UNDER THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES MAY LIMIT THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE"; and strike in their entirety lines 16 through 18, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, strike beginning with "OR" in line 15 down through the first "TO" in line 16 and substitute ", INCLUDING ANY ATTORNEY REPRESENTING".

On page 8, in lines 20 and 21, strike "EMPLOYED AS A SPECIAL ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL ASSIGNED TO" and substitute "<u>AN ATTORNEY EMPLOYED TO REPRESENT</u>".