

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 661

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 9, strike "Department" and substitute "State Department of Education".

On page 2, in line 25, strike "and Teacher" and substitute "in Teaching"; and in line 34, after "budget;" insert "requiring the Maryland Higher Education Commission, in consultation with the State Department of Education, on or before a certain date, to complete a certain evaluation of the College Readiness Outreach Program and submit a certain report to the General Assembly;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, in line 5, strike "2005" and substitute "2004".

On page 13, in line 26, strike "and Teacher" and substitute "in Teaching".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 14, in line 6, strike the third "and"; and in line 9, after "Program" insert "; and

(d) On or before July 1, 2007, the Maryland Higher Education Commission, in consultation with the State Department of Education, shall:

(1) Complete a performance evaluation of the College Readiness Outreach Program that shall evaluate both the outcomes and the effectiveness of the Program; and

(2) Report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the performance evaluation and any recommendations for increasing the effectiveness of the Program".