BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 455

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "adding" in line 7 down through "Rules;" in line 8; and in line 15, after "Engineers" insert "; requiring that an evaluation of the Board of Examining Engineers and the statutes and regulations that relate to the Board of Examining Engineers be performed on or before a certain date".

On page 2, in line 14, after "<u>corrections</u>;" insert "<u>requiring the Board of Examining Engineers</u> and, as appropriate, the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, to report to certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date;"; and after line 20, insert:

"BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 48 - Inspections

Section 169(d)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)".

On page 3, after line 2, insert:

"BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

The Public Local Laws of Baltimore City

Section 4-8

Article 4 - Public Local Laws of Maryland

(1979 Edition and 1997 Supplement, and 2000 Supplement, as amended)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 8, strike "12" and substitute "10"; in line 9, strike "11" and substitute "9"; strike beginning with the first "1" in line 18 down through the comma in line 19; and after line 22,

insert:

"(d) Each member of the Board shall be appointed for a term of 4 years to serve until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Of the members first appointed, 2 shall be appointed for a term of 2 years, 2 for a term of 3 years, and 1, the chairman, for a full term of 4 years. The Commissioner of Labor and Industry shall be a member ex officio of the Board but shall have no vote and shall receive no additional compensation for duties performed in connection therewith. Vacancies shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term. Members of the Board shall not receive an annual salary but shall receive compensation as provided in the budget from time to time for each day or part thereof necessarily spent in the discharge of their official duties and shall, in addition, be reimbursed for their reasonable travel and other expenses in accordance with Standard State Travel Regulations. The exercise or performance of all powers, authority, duties and functions vested in the Board by this subtitle shall be subject to the power and authority of the Secretary of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation as set forth in the Business Regulation Article or elsewhere in the laws of this State."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, after line 5, insert:

"Article 4 - Baltimore City

4.8.

The provisions of this subtitle creating the Board of Examining Engineers and relating to the regulation of engineers and any regulations promulgated under this subtitle are of no effect and may not be enforced after July 1, [2003] 2005.".