

BY: Senator Haines

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 856, AS AMENDED

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3 of the bill, in line 15, after “terms;” insert “requiring the Comptroller to make and submit a certain report:”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 19 of the Budget and Taxation Committee Amendments (SB0856/019530/2), in line 13 of Amendment No. 12, after “Act.” insert :

“SECTION 21. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Comptroller of the Treasury shall report to the General Assembly on or before January 15, 2003, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the loss, as a result of this Act, of gross sales revenue of retail establishments that sell cigarettes within 30 miles of the State’s border with a contiguous state or the District of Columbia. The report shall include recommendations for a subsidy program to offset such losses for those retail establishments.”;

in line 15, strike “21.”, “22.”, “23.”, “24.”, and “25.” and substitute “22.”, “23.”, “24.”, “25.”, and “26.”, respectively; and in line 16, strike “23” and substitute “24” .