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AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 266

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after "Blind;" insert "defining a certain term;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 11, strike "ONE-QUARTER" and substitute "<u>ONE-THIRD OF</u>"; and in line 12, after "PROGRAM" insert "<u>DURING 4 CONSECUTIVE SCHOOL YEARS AS DETERMINED BY DIVIDING THE PROGRAM'S AGGREGATE MONTHLY ENROLLMENT DURING THE 4-YEAR PERIOD BY THE NUMBER OF MONTHS SCHOOL IS IN SESSION DURING THE 4-YEAR PERIOD".</u>

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 22, insert:

"(6) "SALARY EXPENSE FIGURE" MEANS THE PRODUCT OF MULTIPLYING 1.1 TIMES THE TOTAL AMOUNT PAID AS ANNUAL SALARY BY THE MARYLAND SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND UNDER THE BALTIMORE COUNTY SALARY SCALE TO TEACHERS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL AS REQUIRED UNDER § 8-309 OF THIS SUBTITLE.";

in line 23, strike "(6)" and substitute "(7)"; and strike in their entirety lines 36 through 38, inclusive, and substitute:

"(3) THE INCREASE IN THE SALARY EXPENSE FIGURE FROM THE SECOND PRIOR YEAR TO THE FIRST PRIOR YEAR.".