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By: Chairman, Budget and Taxation Committee (Departmental - Comptroller)

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## A BILL ENTITLED

| 1 | AN | ACT | concerning |
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## 2 Income Tax - Electing Small Business Trust

- 3 FOR the purpose of altering the definition of federal adjusted gross income under the
- 4 income tax as it relates to a fiduciary to include certain income of certain trusts;
- 5 providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the definition
- of federal adjusted gross income for certain trusts under the income tax law.
- 7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 8 Article Tax General
- 9 Section 10-101(c-1)
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (1997 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)
- 12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## 14 Article - Tax - General

- 15 10-101.
- 16 (c-1) "Federal adjusted gross income" means:
- 17 (1) for an individual other than a fiduciary, the individual's adjusted
- 18 gross income as determined under the Internal Revenue Code;
- 19 (2) for a fiduciary other than one described in item (3) of this subsection,
- 20 the fiduciary's taxable income, as determined under the Internal Revenue Code,
- 21 increased by:
- 22 (I) the amount allowed to the fiduciary as a deduction for a
- 23 personal exemption under § 642(b) of the Internal Revenue Code; AND
- 24 (II) THE AMOUNT OF INCOME OF AN ELECTING SMALL BUSINESS
- 25 TRUST, AS DEFINED UNDER § 1361(E)(1) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, THAT IS

- 1 SUBJECT TO THE SPECIAL TAXING RULES UNDER § 641(C) OF THE INTERNAL
- 2 REVENUE CODE; or
- 3 (3) for a fiduciary exempt from taxation under § 408(e)(1) or § 501 of the 4 Internal Revenue Code, the fiduciary's unrelated business taxable income as defined
- 5 under § 512 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take 6
- 7 effect July 1, 2002 and shall be applicable to all taxable years beginning after
- 8 December 31, 2001.