

BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 414

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “- Employees” in line 2 down through “Sunset” in line 3; in line 6, after “Program;” insert “expanding the eligibility of the State Employee and Retiree Health and Welfare Benefits Program to include the Maryland Crime Victims’ Resource Center, Inc.;”; in line 7, strike the second comma and substitute “and the Maryland Crime Victims’ Resource Center, Inc.”; and after line 8, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

Section 2-512

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 13, insert:

“Article - State Personnel and Pensions

2-512.

(a) In this section, “qualifying not-for-profit organization” means an organization that:

(1) (i) receives State funds from the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene that cover more than one-third of the organization’s operating expenses; and

(ii) is:

(Over)

Revenue Code; or

1. described in § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; and
2. exempt from income tax under § 501(a) of the Internal

(2) is the Legal Aid Bureau, Inc.; OR

(3) IS THE MARYLAND CRIME VICTIMS' RESOURCE CENTER, INC.

(b) The Secretary shall adopt regulations for the enrollment and participation of employees of a qualifying not-for-profit organization to participate in the Program as a satellite organization.

(c) A qualifying not-for-profit organization that participates in the Program as a satellite organization shall:

(1) pay to the State:

(i) a premium in the amount determined by the Secretary; and

(ii) any costs, as determined by the Secretary, for the administration of this

Program; and

(2) determine the extent to which the organization will subsidize participation by its employees in the Program.”.