

BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 706

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, after “sold” insert “or leased”; in line 6, after “sale” insert “or lease”; and strike beginning with “repealing” in line 6 down through the semicolon in line 7.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 25, after “SALE” insert “OR LEASE”.

On page 3, in line 7, after “SOLD” insert “OR LEASED”; and in line 8, after “SALE” insert “OR LEASE”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 15, strike “and”; in line 20, strike the second set of brackets; in lines 20 and 21, strike “INCREASE THE AVAILABILITY”; in line 22, strike the second opening bracket; in lines 23 through 26, inclusive, strike beginning with “]COMMUNITY” in line 23 down through “TITLE” in line 26; and after line 29, insert:

“(III) ANY FUNDS REMAINING AFTER MEETING THE NEEDS OF INDIVIDUALS IDENTIFIED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II)2 OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL BE USED TO INCREASE THE AVAILABILITY OF:

1. AFFORDABLE HOUSING AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS; AND

2. COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES DESIGNED TO PROMOTE RECOVERY AND COMMUNITY INTEGRATION, INCLUDING DEVELOPMENT OF THE MARYLAND MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS RESPONSE SYSTEM ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBTITLE 14 OF THIS TITLE.”.