BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 440 (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Pipkin" and substitute "<u>Pipkin, Britt, Brochin, and</u> <u>Colburn</u>"; and in line 11, after "and" insert "<u>authorizing the Task Force</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 4, after "Maryland;" insert "<u>and</u>"; strike in their entirety lines 5 through 9, inclusive, and substitute:

"(ii) five members of the public who are residents of the State, with preference given to:

<u>1.</u> <u>individuals who have served prominently as spokespersons for</u> or as leaders of organizations serving members of religious, ethnic, national heritage, or social groups that were subject to genocide, torture, wrongful deprivation of liberty or property, officially imposed or sanctioned violence, or other forms of human rights violations and persecution;

2. individuals who are involved in activities to enhance the public's awareness of the Holocaust and genocide or who have demonstrated an interest or involvement in the study of the Holocaust or genocide; and

<u>3.</u> representatives of the academic community with specialized knowledge of the Holocaust or genocide studies.";

in line 16, strike "shall"; in line 17, after "(1)" insert "shall"; and in line 22, after "(2)" insert "may".