BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1341 (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "Delegate Hurson" and substitute "<u>Delegates Hurson</u>, Benson, Boteler, Boutin, Bromwell, Costa, Donoghue, Elliott, Frank, Goldwater, Hubbard, Kach, Kullen, Mandel, McDonough, Morhaim, Murray, Nathan-Pulliam, Oaks, Pendergrass, Rudolph, V. <u>Turner, and Weldon</u>"; and strike beginning with "requiring" in line 5 down through "Initiative;" in line 8 and substitute "<u>authorizing the Department to contract with a certain type of organization to</u> <u>administer the Initiative;</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, strike beginning with "(A)" in line 19 down through "INITIATIVE" in line 23 and substitute "<u>TO ADMINISTER THE INITIATIVE ESTABLISHED BY THIS SUBTITLE, THE DEPARTMENT MAY CONTRACT WITH A QUALIFIED ORGANIZATION WITH KNOWLEDGE OF BEST PRACTICES IN THE DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT".</u>

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, in line 17, after the closing bracket insert "PROVIDER".