BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 218

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In line 6, after "board;" insert "providing that a party to an appeal may request a certain extension; authorizing the Maryland Tax Court to grant an extension under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In line 16, after "(5)" insert "(I)"; and in line 17, strike "PROMPTLY" and substitute "ON OR BEFORE 120 DAYS FROM THE DATE THE APPEAL IS ENTERED, UNLESS EXTENDED BY THE COURT AT THE REQUEST OF A PARTY.

(II) ANY PARTY TO AN APPEAL MAY REQUEST THE COURT TO EXTEND THE 120 DAY REQUIREMENT.

(III) THE COURT MAY GRANT AN EXTENSION IF IT DEEMS THE REQUEST TO BE VALID".