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BY: Delegate Shank

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 100, AS AMENDED
(First Reading File Bill – Committee Reprint)

On page 243, after line 25, insert:

“SECTION 52. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That funding for the Geographic Cost of Education Index (GCEI) within the Maryland State Department of Education, in program R00A02.01, State Share of Foundation Program, shall be reduced as follows:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<u>General</u>	<u>37,879,747</u>
<u>Federal</u>	<u>88,495,747</u>

It is the intent of the General Assembly that these funds not be used for the purpose of funding the GCEI but rather shall be used to fund the inflationary adjustment, as provided for in § 5-202(a)(13)(ii) of the Education Article, for fiscal years after fiscal 2010.”;

and in lines 26 and 33, strike “52.” and “53.”, respectively, and substitute “53.” and “54.”, respectively.