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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 347 (First Reading File Bill)

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Baltimore City"; in the same line, after "Zones" insert "<u>Application and Process</u>"; in line 3, after "of" insert "<u>requiring certain persons</u> to apply for designation approval to a certain foreign trade zone grantee before applying to another grantee for designation approval;"; in lines 7 and 8, strike "Baltimore Foreign Trade Zone" and substitute "<u>foreign trade zones</u>"; after line 8, insert:

"BY adding to

<u>Article – Economic Development</u> <u>Section 5–804</u> <u>Annotated Code of Maryland</u> (2008 Replacement Volume)";

and after line 15, insert:

"<u>Article – Economic Development</u>

<u>5-804.</u>

<u>A PERSON THAT WISHES TO HAVE A SITE IN THE STATE DESIGNATED AS A</u> <u>FOREIGN TRADE ZONE SHALL APPLY FOR DESIGNATION APPROVAL TO THE</u> <u>FOREIGN TRADE ZONE GRANTEE IN THE STATE THAT IS CLOSEST TO THE SITE</u> <u>BEFORE APPLYING TO ANOTHER FOREIGN TRADE ZONE GRANTEE IN THE STATE</u> <u>FOR DESIGNATION APPROVAL.</u>".