

BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 268

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and James” and substitute “James, Barkley, Bronrott, Hecht, Krysiak, Mathias, Manno, McHale, Robinson, and Taylor”; in lines 6, 9, 15, and 18, in each instance, after “recipients” insert “, children of current or former recipients, foster youth, and certain obligors”; in line 11, after “industries” insert “and construction”; in line 12, strike “federal stimulus dollars” and substitute “funds”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 12 down through “agreements;” in line 14; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 18 down through “designee;” in line 22; in line 22, strike “a”; in line 23, strike “report on a certain program” and substitute “reports”; in lines 23 and 24, strike “altering a certain definition;” and substitute “defining certain terms;”; in line 25, strike “and former”; and in the same line, after “recipients” insert “, certain former recipients, children of current or former recipients, foster youth, and obligors”.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 6 through 15, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 22, insert:

**“(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.**

**(2) “CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS” MEANS MINORS WHO:**

**(I) ARE AT LEAST 14 YEARS OLD; AND**

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**(II) RESIDE WITH CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS OF BENEFITS.**

**(3) “FORMER RECIPIENT” MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO RECEIVED BENEFITS UNDER FIP IN THE PAST 5 YEARS.**

**(4) “FOSTER YOUTH” MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO:**

**(I) IS AN ADULT IN OUT-OF-HOME CARE UNDER THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STATE; OR**

**(II) IS AN ADULT UNDER THE AGE OF 25 YEARS; AND**

**(III) WAS IN OUT-OF-HOME CARE UNDER THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STATE ON THE INDIVIDUAL’S 18TH BIRTHDAY.**

**(5) “OBLIGOR” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 10-101 OF THE FAMILY LAW ARTICLE.”;**

in line 23, strike “(A)” and substitute “**(B)**”; and in lines 25, 30, 32, and 34, in each instance, after “RECIPIENTS” insert “**, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS**”.

On page 3, in lines 3, 10, and 11, in each instance, after “RECIPIENTS” insert “**, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS**”; in line 11, after “OF” insert “**CURRENT AND FORMER**”; in line 14, strike “(B)” and substitute “**(C)**”; and in lines 17, 21, 23, 24, and 26, in each instance, after “recipients” insert “**, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS**”.

On page 4, in lines 12, 17, and 25, in each instance, after “recipients” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”; after line 14, insert:

“(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) “CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(3) “FORMER RECIPIENT” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(4) “FOSTER YOUTH” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(5) “OBLIGOR” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 10-101 OF THE FAMILY LAW ARTICLE.”;

in lines 15 and 24, strike “(a)” and “(b)”, respectively, and substitute “(B)” and “(C)”, respectively; in line 29, after “RECIPIENTS” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”; and in the same line, after “INDUSTRIES” insert “AND CONSTRUCTION”.

On page 5, in line 22, strike “AND”; in line 24, after “INDUSTRY” insert “; AND

(XIV) SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPING”;

and in lines 25 and 29, strike “(c)” and “(d)”, respectively, and substitute “(D)” and “(E)”, respectively.

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On page 6, in line 1, after “(1)” insert “(I)”; in line 2, after “program,” insert “OR”; after line 2, insert:

**“(II) A FORMER RECIPIENT, A CHILD OF A CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENT, A FOSTER YOUTH, OR OBLIGOR;”**;

in lines 10, 12, and 22, strike “(e)”, “(f)”, and “(g)”, respectively, and substitute “(F)”, “(G)”, and “(H)”, respectively; and in line 13, after “recipients” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”.

On page 7, in line 1, strike “(H)” and substitute “(I)”; in line 3, strike “RELEVANT FEDERAL STIMULUS DOLLARS” and substitute “FUNDS AVAILABLE TO THE STATE UNDER THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT AND ANY OTHER FUNDS”; after line 9, insert:

**“(2) “CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THE HUMAN SERVICES ARTICLE.”**;

in lines 10, 11, 14, 16, and 21, strike “(2)”, “(3)”, “(4)”, “(5)”, and “(6)”, respectively, and substitute “(3)”, “(4)”, “(5)”, “(8)”, and “(9)”, respectively; in lines 11 and 12, strike “OR SUBCONTRACT”; after line 15, insert:

**“(6) “FORMER RECIPIENT” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THE HUMAN SERVICES ARTICLE.**

**“(7) “FOSTER YOUTH” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 5-304 OF THE HUMAN SERVICES ARTICLE.”**;

in line 20, after “recipients” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”; after line 23, insert:

“(10) “OBLIGOR” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 10-101 OF THE FAMILY LAW ARTICLE.”;

and in line 25, strike “AND SUBCONTRACTS”.

On page 8, in lines 8 and 34, in each instance, after “recipients” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”.

On page 9, in lines 12 and 15, in each instance, after “recipients” insert “, CHILDREN OF CURRENT OR FORMER RECIPIENTS, FOSTER YOUTH, AND OBLIGORS”.

On pages 9 through 12, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 16 on page 9 through line 18 on page 12, inclusive.

On page 13, in line 6, strike “existing” and substitute “current and former”; in line 7, after “recipients” insert “, children of existing or former recipients, foster youth, and obligors”; in line 5, strike the comma and substitute “:

(1)”;

in lines 6, 8, and 11, strike “(1)”, “(2)”, and “(3)”, respectively, and substitute “(i)”, “(ii)”, and “(iii)”, respectively; in line 8, after “make” insert “current and”; in the same line, after “recipients” insert “, children of current or former recipients, foster youth, and obligors”; in line 11, strike “federal stimulus dollars” and substitute “funds available to the State under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act and any other available funds”; and in line 12, after “program” insert “: and

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(2) in consultation with the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, the Department of Housing and Community Development, the Governor's Workforce Investment Board, the Maryland Energy Administration, public utility companies, and subcontractors of public utility companies on the hiring plans of the public utility companies and the subcontractors of the public utility companies for staffing the energy efficiency and conservation programs of the public utility companies and the subcontractors of the public utility companies".