HB0465/383496/1

BY: Economic Matters Committee

<u>AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 465</u> (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 15, after "include" insert ", under certain circumstances,".

On page 2, in line 3, after "certification;" insert "<u>requiring the Early Learning</u> <u>Programs Section of the Maryland State Department of Education to report to certain</u> <u>committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date each year through a</u> <u>certain year</u>;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, in line 5, strike "COLLECTIVE" and substitute "(I) <u>SUBJECT TO</u> <u>SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, COLLECTIVE</u>"; and after line 7, insert:

"(II) <u>The representatives of the State may not reach</u> <u>AN AGREEMENT CONTAINING A SERVICE FEE PROVISION UNLESS THE</u> <u>REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE CONCLUDE THAT THE AGREEMENT AS A</u> <u>WHOLE WILL NOT ADVERSELY IMPACT NONMEMBER PROVIDERS.</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, after line 30, insert:

"SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) On or before December 31 of each year through 2013, the Early Learning Programs Section of the Maryland State Department of Education shall report to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Economic Matters Committee, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, on the status of the Maryland Child Care Subsidy Program as it relates to family child care providers.

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(b) The report shall include:

(1) the number of child care providers and children participating in the Maryland Child Care Subsidy Program;

(2) the number of family child care providers who join the collective bargaining unit established under this Act and the number of children served by each of the providers; and

(3) an analysis of any positive or negative trends resulting from the implementation of this Act.";

and in line 31, strike "4." and substitute "<u>5.</u>".