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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 253

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Proposed”; strike beginning with “altering” in line 3 down through “regulation;” in line 10; in lines 13, 14, and 17, in each instance, strike “proposed”; in lines 12 and 15, in each instance, after “than” insert “a certain number of business days after”; in line 17, after “manner;” insert “requiring a unit to develop and implement a mechanism for a person to receive certain electronic alerts under certain circumstances; providing that the failure of a unit to comply with certain provisions of law may not invalidate or affect the adoption of certain regulations; requiring the Division of State Documents to report certain compliance to the General Assembly on or before a certain date;”; and strike in their entirety lines 24 through 28, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 3 and 4, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 18 on page 3 through line 21 on page 4, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, in lines 2 and 7, in each instance, after “THAN” insert “3 BUSINESS DAYS AFTER”; in lines 4, 7, 8, 12, and 15, in each instance, strike “PROPOSED”; in line 5, strike “OF” and substitute “AS AN”; after line 16, insert:

“(D) A UNIT SHALL DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A MECHANISM BY WHICH A PERSON MAY RECEIVE AN ELECTRONIC ALERT WHEN A REGULATION IS PUBLISHED ON THE UNIT’S WEB SITE UNDER THIS SECTION.

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(E) THE FAILURE OF A UNIT TO PUBLISH THE TEXT OF A REGULATION IN A TIMELY MANNER UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT INVALIDATE OR OTHERWISE AFFECT THE ADOPTION OF THE REGULATION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before December 1, 2012, the Division of State Documents shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, regarding the compliance of the units in the Executive Branch of the State government with the requirements of this Act.”;

in line 17, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 18, strike “October” and substitute “June”.