

**HB1085/163295/1**

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1085  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, before “specifying” insert “altering the definition of “volunteer company” to include a volunteer fire police unit;”; in line 10, after “purpose” insert “based on receipt of a certain membership benefit”; and strike in their entirety lines 22 through 26, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 3, strike “and”; and in line 4, after “squad” insert “**; AND**

**(V) A VOLUNTEER FIRE POLICE UNIT**”.

On page 6, after line 18, insert:

**“(AA) A MEMBER OF A VOLUNTEER COMPANY WHO IS NOT A COVERED EMPLOYEE UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT OTHERWISE BE CONSIDERED A COVERED EMPLOYEE FOR RECEIVING AS A MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT A YEARLY STIPEND OF \$5,200 OR LESS TO HELP OFFSET OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES.”**

On page 7, strike beginning with “ADVANCED” in line 28 down through “SQUAD” in line 30 and substitute “**COMPANY, AS DEFINED IN § 9-234 OF THIS TITLE,**”; and strike in their entirety lines 33 through 36, inclusive.

On page 8, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 4, inclusive.