

**HB0913/796688/1**

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 913

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Vallario” and substitute “Vallario, Bromwell, Angel, Barron, Cullison, Hayes, Hill, Kelly, Morales, Pena-Melnyk, Platt, Sample-Hughes, and K. Young”; in line 3, after “of” insert “authorizing the Attorney General to employ certain assistant counsel under certain circumstances;”; in line 14, after “purposes;” insert “requiring the Attorney General to submit a certain report to the Governor and the Legislative Policy Committee on or before a certain date each year;”; and in line 20, after “Section” insert “6-105(f) and”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 25, insert:

“6-105.

**(F) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER STAFF APPOINTED UNDER THIS SECTION, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL MAY EMPLOY ANY ASSISTANT COUNSEL THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL CONSIDERS NECESSARY TO A CARRY OUT ANY DUTY OF THE OFFICE IF THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE ASSISTANT COUNSEL:**

**(1) IS ON A PRO BONO BASIS;**

**(2) WILL NOT RESULT IN MORE THAN MINIMAL COST TO THE STATE; AND**

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**(3) WILL NOT RESULT IN THE PAYMENT TO THE ASSISTANT COUNSEL OF ANY PORTION OF THE STATE'S RECOVERY IN ANY CASE OR MATTER.**

On page 3, after line 27, insert:

**“(D) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 1 EACH YEAR, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1246 OF THIS ARTICLE, THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE ON ANY ACTION TAKEN UNDER THIS SECTION.”**