HB1660/265461/1

BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1660

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Szeliga" and substitute "Szeliga, Afzali, and Tarlau"; in line 2, after "Tax –" insert "Assessment Records of Real Property and"; in the same line, strike "– Application"; in line 3, after the first "of" insert "requiring the Department to include in an assessment record for real property a note describing any reduction in an assessment resulting from a certain order or decision and, under certain circumstances, the specific reason for the reduction;"; in line 7, after "to" insert "assessment records for real property and"; in line 10, after "Section" insert "2–211(a)(1) and"; and after line 12, insert:

"BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

 $\underline{Article - Tax - Property}$

Section 2–211(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2012 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 18, insert:

"2–211.

- (a) (1) Each supervisor shall keep a record of all real property assessments in the county.
 - (b) (1) Each account in the record shall show for the real property:
 - (i) the name and address of the owner;

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- (ii) a brief description of the property;
- (iii) the specific location of the property;
- (iv) the general location of the property including a deed or will reference and any tax map reference; and
 - (v) the assessment of:
 - 1. the land; and
 - <u>any improvement on the land.</u>
- (2) The details of land and improvements on the land that have been valued at different amounts shall be recorded on the respective worksheet or card.
- (3) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL INCLUDE WITH EACH PROPERTY RECORD A NOTE DESCRIBING:
- (I) ANY REDUCTION IN AN ASSESSMENT RESULTING FROM AN ORDER OR DECISION OF A PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT APPEALS BOARD, THE MARYLAND TAX COURT, OR ANY OTHER COURT ISSUED ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2014; AND
- (II) THE SPECIFIC REASON FOR THE REDUCTION, IF THE BOARD OR COURT INDICATES IN ITS ORDER OR DECISION THE REASON FOR THE REDUCTION.".