

HB1744/262318/1

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1744
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, strike “repealing” and substitute “altering”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 6 down through the semicolon in line 13; after line 13, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Family Law

Section 5-704.2(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2012 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)”;

and in line 16, strike “5-704.2” and substitute “5-704.2(b), (c), and (e)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 23 through 25, inclusive; in lines 27, 28, and 30, in each instance, strike the bracket; in line 30, after the semicolon insert “**OR**”; and in line 31, strike the second comma and substitute “**:**”.

(I)”.

On page 3, strike beginning with “or” in line 2 down through the bracket in line 5 and substitute:

“(II) THE NEWBORN DOES NOT DISPLAY THE EFFECTS OF WITHDRAWAL FROM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE EXPOSURE AS DETERMINED BY MEDICAL PERSONNEL;

(Over)

**(III) THE NEWBORN DOES NOT DISPLAY THE EFFECTS OF
FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDER; AND**

(IV) THE NEWBORN IS NOT AFFECTED BY SUBSTANCE ABUSE”.

On pages 3 through 5, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 6 on page 3 through line 7 on page 5, inclusive.