HB1240/484367/1

BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1240

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "McKay,"; in line 2, strike "Maryland Department of Health –" and substitute "Merit"; in the same line, strike "Rates"; strike beginning with "requiring" in line 3 down through "date" in line 8 and substitute "requiring the Governor to include a certain appropriation in the budget for merit pay increases for certain permanent employees in the Executive Branch of State government in a certain fiscal year; providing that the provisions of this Act may not be construed to prohibit the negotiation of certain economic terms of a memorandum of understanding"; in line 8, after "to" insert "merit"; in the same line, strike "rates" and substitute "increases"; in the same line, after "for" insert "State"; and in line 9, strike "Maryland Department of Health" and substitute "Executive Branch of State government".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 19, strike "(1)".

On pages 1 and 2, strike beginning with "THE" in line 19 on page 1 down through "EMPLOYEE" in line 8 on page 2 and substitute "<u>A PERMANENT EMPLOYEE IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT WHO IS NOT:</u>

- (1) IN A BARGAINING UNIT THAT HAS AGREED TO AND RATIFIED THE ECONOMIC TERMS OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020; OR
 - (2) (I) ELECTED TO A POSITION BY POPULAR VOTE;

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(II) IN A POSITION BY ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT THAT IS PROVIDED FOR BY THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION; OR

(III) INCLUDED IN THE EXECUTIVE PAY PLAN".

On page 2, strike beginning with "PAY" in line 9 down through "ATTENDANT" in line 23 and substitute "GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE AT LEAST \$94,178,000 FROM ANY FUND SOURCE IN THE FISCAL 2021 BUDGET FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING A MERIT PAY INCREASE FOR ANY EMPLOYEE DESCRIBED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION WHOSE OVERALL PERFORMANCE IS RATED SATISFACTORY OR ABOVE ON THE EMPLOYEE'S ANNUAL PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL.

(C) THIS SECTION MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO PROHIBIT AN EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE AND AN EMPLOYER FROM NEGOTIATING ANY ECONOMIC TERMS OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING THAT EXCEED THE MERIT PAY INCREASES REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION".