AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1300
(First Reading File Bill – Committee Reprint)

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 4, in line 2, after “years;” insert “providing for the termination of this Act; making certain provisions of law subject to a certain contingency;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 198, after line 2, insert:

“SECTION 17. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, subject to Section 18 of this Act, this Act shall remain effective for a period of 5 years and, at the end of June 30, 2025, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

SECTION 18. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) Section 17 of this Act is contingent on the academic outcomes proscribed in the Blueprint for Maryland’s Future improving by less than 25%, as measured by the Maryland Longitudinal Data System Center, a nationally accredited test approved by the State Department of Education, and the Maryland State Education Association.

(b) On or before June 1, 2025, the State Department of Education shall notify the Department of Legislative Services whether the outcomes identified in subsection (a) of this section have improved by less than 25%.

(c) If the Department of Legislative Services receives notice from the State Department of Education that the academic outcomes have increased by less than 25%, on the date the notice is received by the Department of Legislative Services, Section 17 of this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall take effect.”;

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and in line 3, strike “17.” and substitute “19.”.