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BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 711

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 8 and 9, strike "Department of Human Services" and substitute "<u>Comptroller</u>"; in line 9, after "regulations;" insert "<u>requiring the Comptroller</u> to report to the General Assembly on or before a certain date;"; and in line 10, after "application" insert "<u>and termination</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 10 and 11; in lines 12, 23, and 29, strike "(III)", "(IV)", and "(V)", respectively, and substitute "(III)", "(III)", and "(IV)", respectively.

On page 3, in line 1, strike "(VI)" and substitute "(V)"; and in lines 4 and 18, in each instance, strike "DEPARTMENT" and substitute "COMPTROLLER".

On page 4, after line 3, insert:

"SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before January 1, 2024, the Comptroller shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on whether donations to charitable entities of disposable diapers, other hygiene products for infants or children, or feminine personal hygiene products has increased following the effective date of this Act and, if so, whether the subtraction modification under § 10–208(y) of the Tax – General Article, as enacted under Section 1 of this Act, has contributed to that increase.";

in line 4, strike "2." and substitute "3."; and in line 5, after "2020" insert ", but before January 1, 2024. It shall remain effective for a period of 3 years and, at the end of June 30, 2024, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect".