BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 45
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency – Gaming Study –”; in line 3, after “Proceeds” insert “– Studies”; in line 4, strike the second “the” and substitute “certain units of State government, in coordination with the”; in the same line, after “Agency” insert a comma; in the same line, strike “a”; in line 5, strike “study” and substitute “studies”; in the same line, strike “the Agency” and substitute “certain units of State government”; in the same line, strike “its” and substitute “their”; and strike beginning with “a” in line 7 down through “Agency” in line 8 and substitute “gaming studies by units of State government”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 11, after “(a)” insert “(1)”; in the same line, after “The” insert “Maryland Racing Commission, in coordination with the”; in the same line, after “Agency” insert a comma; in the same line, strike the colon; in line 12, strike “(1)”; in line 18, strike the semicolon and substitute a period; after line 18, insert:

“(2) On or before December 1, 2021, the Maryland Racing Commission, in coordination with the State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, shall report its findings to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.”;

and in line 19, strike “(2)” and substitute “(b) (1) The Maryland Center of Excellence on Problem Gambling within the University of Maryland School of Medicine and the Behavioral Health Administration within the Maryland Department of Health, in coordination with the State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, shall study”.

On page 2, in line 2, strike “; and” and substitute a period; after line 2, insert:

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“(2) On or before December 1, 2021, the Maryland Center of Excellence on Problem Gambling within the University of Maryland School of Medicine and the Behavioral Health Administration within the Maryland Department of Health, in coordination with the State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, shall report their findings to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.”;

in line 3, strike “(3)” and substitute “(c) (1) The Maryland Department of Commerce, in coordination with the State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, shall study”; in line 14, strike “(b)” and substitute “(2)”; in the same line, after “the” insert “Maryland Department of Commerce, in coordination with the”; and in the same line, after “Agency” insert a comma.