

HB0586/573120/1

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 586
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**Delegate Stein**” and substitute “**Delegates Stein, Alston, Bagnall, Bhandari, Chisholm, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, S. Johnson, Kaiser, Kerr, R. Lewis, Lopez, Martinez, M. Morgan, Pena–Melnik, Rosenberg, Taveras, White, and Woods**”; in line 2, strike “**Preferences**”; in line 3, after “**Amendments**” insert “**and Aggregate**”; in line 4, strike “give preference to” and substitute “**include certain specifications for**”; in line 5, after “from” insert “**recycled or**”; in the same line, strike “purchasing” and substitute “**establishing procurement specifications for**”; in line 6, after “amendments” insert “**or aggregate; requiring the Maryland Green Purchasing Committee to establish certain specifications and publish and maintain the specifications online**”; and in line 7, after “amendments” insert “**or aggregate**”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, strike lines 17 through 20, inclusive, and substitute:

“(A) IN THIS SECTION, “AGGREGATE” MEANS GRAVEL, CRUSHED STONE, SAND, AND OTHER SIMILAR MATERIALS.”

On page 2, in line 10, after “AMENDMENTS” insert “**OR AGGREGATE**”; strike beginning with “GIVE” in line 10 down through “THAT” in line 13 and substitute “**INCLUDE IN ITS PROCUREMENT SPECIFICATIONS THE SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED BY THE MARYLAND GREEN PURCHASING COMMITTEE FOR COMPOST, MULCH, OR OTHER SOIL AMENDMENTS OR AGGREGATE UNDER PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION.**”

(2) THE REQUIREMENTS OF PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION APPLY IF”;

in line 14, strike “AND”; in line 16, after “PURPOSES” insert “**;** AND

(III) THE PRODUCTS ARE READILY AVAILABLE”;

and strike in their entirety lines 17 through 27, inclusive, and substitute:

“(3) (I) THE MARYLAND GREEN PURCHASING COMMITTEE, ESTABLISHED UNDER § 14-410 OF THIS SUBTITLE, SHALL ESTABLISH SPECIFICATIONS FOR PURCHASING OF COMPOST, MULCH, OR OTHER SOIL AMENDMENTS OR AGGREGATE PRODUCED FROM MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE, FOOD WASTE, DREDGED MATERIAL, CONSTRUCTION WASTE, YARD WASTE, CLEAN WOOD WASTE, OR OTHER RECYCLED OR ORGANIC MATERIALS.

(II) THE SPECIFICATIONS ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL BE PUBLISHED AND MAINTAINED ONLINE BY THE MARYLAND GREEN PURCHASING COMMITTEE FOR USE BY STATE AGENCIES.”.