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BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 818
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**School Stadium Grant Program – Established**” and substitute “**High School Athletic and Physical Education Facilities – Study**”; strike beginning with “establishing” in line 3 down through “Program” in line 5 and substitute “requiring the Interagency Commission on School Construction to conduct a comprehensive study analyzing the current condition of public high school athletic and physical education facilities in the State; requiring the Prince George’s County Board of Education and the Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission, on or before a certain date, to meet to discuss potential partnerships to upgrade public high school athletic and physical education facilities”; in line 5, strike “the Public School Stadium Grant Program” and substitute “public high school athletic and physical education facilities in the State”; and strike in their entirety lines 6 through 10, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 12, strike “the Laws of Maryland read as follows”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 13 on page 1 through line 23 on page 2, inclusive, and substitute:

“(a) (1) The Interagency Commission on School Construction shall conduct a comprehensive study analyzing the current condition of public high school athletic and physical education facilities in the State.

(2) In conducting the study, the Interagency Commission on School Construction shall consult with each county board of education.

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(b) The study shall include:

(1) subject to subsection (c) of this section, an analysis of public high school athletic and physical facilities in the State, including information for each public high school on:

(i) the last time the athletic and physical education facilities were upgraded;

(ii) whether a partial or full replacement of the athletic and physical education facilities is needed;

(iii) the estimated cost of a partial or full replacement of the athletic and physical education facilities; and

(iv) the overall quality of the athletic and physical education facilities;

(2) the average cost for public high school athletic and physical education facility replacements;

(3) the total financial need by county for athletic and physical education facility replacements;

(4) recommendations on best practices for replacing athletic and physical education facilities; and

(5) an audit of any related needs assessments that have already been conducted by a county.

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(c) A county board shall provide the information required under paragraph (b)(1) of this section on request from the Interagency Commission on School Construction.

(d) On or before December 1, 2023, the Interagency Commission on School Construction shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That on or before December 1, 2023, the Prince George’s County Board of Education and the Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission shall meet to discuss potential partnerships to upgrade public high school athletic and physical education facilities in Prince George’s County.”.

On page 2, in line 24, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 25, after “2023.” insert “It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and, at the end of May 31, 2024, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.