

HB0110/743425/1

BY: Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 110
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**and Taylor**” and substitute “**, Taylor, Crutchfield, Tomlinson, Toles, Phillips, Stinnett, Arikan, Kaufman, and Williams**”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 8, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
Article - Family Law
Section 10-119(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2019 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)”;

and in line 11, strike “10–119” and substitute “10–119(b) and (c)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in line 23, strike “**(I) 1.**”; in line 25, after “**STATUS,**” insert “**INCLUDING BY WRITTEN AND ELECTRONIC MEANS,**”; in line 25, strike the bracket; and strike in their entirety lines 31 and 32.

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 5, inclusive, and substitute:

- 2. THE MINOR CHILD IS RESIDING PRIMARILY WITH THE OBLIGOR;**
- 3. THE OBLIGOR HAS A DOCUMENTED DISABILITY RESULTING IN A VERIFIED INABILITY TO WORK;**

4. SUSPENSION OF THE OBLIGOR’S LICENSE OR PRIVILEGE TO DRIVE WOULD BE AN IMPEDIMENT TO CURRENT OR POTENTIAL EMPLOYMENT;

5. THE OBLIGOR DOES NOT HAVE THE ABILITY TO PAY AND IS MAKING REASONABLE EFFORTS TO BECOME OR REMAIN EMPLOYED;

6. THE ADMINISTRATION REACHED AN AGREEMENT WITH THE OBLIGOR, INCLUDING THROUGH A PAYMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM FOR A SCHEDULED PAYMENT OF THE ARREARAGES, OR THE COURT ISSUED AN ORDER FOR A SCHEDULED PAYMENT OF THE ARREARAGES, AND THE ADMINISTRATION DETERMINES THAT THE OBLIGOR IS COMPLYING WITH THE AGREEMENT OR THE ORDER;

7. SUSPENSION OF THE OBLIGOR’S LICENSE OR PRIVILEGE TO DRIVE WOULD BE AN IMPEDIMENT TO THE OBLIGOR’S ABILITY TO ASSIST WITH THE TRANSPORTATION NEEDS OF THE MINOR CHILD; OR

8. SUSPENSION OF THE OBLIGOR’S LICENSE OR PRIVILEGE TO DRIVE WOULD PLACE AN UNDUE HARDSHIP ON THE MINOR CHILD, THE CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENT RECIPIENT, OR THE OBLIGOR; AND”;

in line 24, strike “If, after” and substitute “AFTER”; strike beginning with the first “the” in line 25 down through “exists,” in line 26; in line 26, after “Administration” insert “:

(I)”;

in line 27, after “Administration” insert “IF THE ADMINISTRATION FINDS THAT ONE OF THE GROUNDS UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(I) OF THIS SUBSECTION EXISTS; AND

(II) MAY SEND INFORMATION ABOUT THE OBLIGOR TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION ONLY IF THE ADMINISTRATION VERIFIES THAT SUSPENSION OF THE OBLIGOR’S LICENSE OR PRIVILEGE TO DRIVE IS APPROPRIATE BECAUSE THE OBLIGOR HAS THE FUNDS TO PAY BUT IS MAKING

THE FREE AND CONSCIOUS CHOICE TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT OR IS VOLUNTARILY IMPOVERISHED, AS DEFINED IN § 12-201(Q) OF THIS ARTICLE”;

and in line 28, before “(5)” insert an opening bracket.

On pages 4 and 5, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 2 on page 4 through line 34 on page 5, inclusive.

On page 7, in line 9, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike “§ 10-119(C)(3)”; and in line 12, strike the brackets.