

HB1082/433523/1

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1082
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**and White Holland**” and substitute “**White Holland, Alston, Bagnall, Bhandari, Guzzone, Hill, S. Johnson, Kaiser, Kerr, Lopez, Martinez, Rosenberg, Ross, Taveras, Woods, and Woorman**”; in line 6, strike “a”; and in the same line, strike “year” and substitute “years”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, in line 5, strike “**AND 2027**” and substitute “**THROUGH 2028**”.

On page 6, in lines 9 and 12, in each instance, strike “**YEAR 2026**” and substitute “**YEARS 2026 AND 2027**”; in line 18, strike “AND”; in line 19, after “MARKET” insert “;

(3) TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION STATE FUNDS NEEDED TO ENSURE THE STATE REINSURANCE PROGRAM CONTINUES TO PROVIDE MARKET STABILITY THROUGH CALENDAR YEAR 2028; AND

(4) TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION UNCERTAINTIES IN ENROLLMENT IN THE MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, THE INDIVIDUAL MARKET, AND THE SMALL GROUP MARKET DUE TO CHANGES IN STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATION AND FUNDING;

and in line 20, strike “**AND 2027**” and substitute “**THROUGH 2028**”.

On page 7, strike in their entirety lines 7 through 23, inclusive, and substitute:

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“(a) If the advance premium tax credits under 26 U.S.C. § 36B(b)(3)(A)(iii) are extended for calendar years 2026 and 2027, Section 1 of this Act shall, with no further action required by the General Assembly, be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

“(b) Within 5 days of a change in federal law as described in subsection (a) of this section, the Maryland Health Benefit Exchange Board and the Maryland Insurance Commissioner shall notify the Department of Legislative Services of the change.”;

strike beginning with “, subject” in line 24 down through “Act,” in line 25; in line 25, strike “July” and substitute “June”; and in the same line, after “2025.” insert “Subject to Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall remain effective for a period of 3 years and 1 month and, at the end of June 30, 2028, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.