

SB0764/193925/1

BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 764
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**and Waldstreicher**” and substitute “**Waldstreicher, Augustine, Hettleman, King, and Lewis Young**”; in line 2, after “**Professionals**” insert “**- Report on Estimated Cost**”; strike beginning with “establishing” in line 3 down through “beginning” in line 4 and substitute “requiring the State Department of Education,”; in line 5, after “date” insert “, to submit a report on an estimate of the total cost of implementing a certain minimum wage rate for education support professionals”; in the same line, after “to” insert “a report on the estimated cost of implementing”; and strike in their entirety lines 7 through 11, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 13, strike “the Laws of Maryland read as follows”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 14 on page 1 through line 8 on page 2, inclusive.

On page 2, in line 9, strike “SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on” and substitute:

“(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

(2) “Education support professional” means a noncertificated public school employee designated as part of a nonsupervisory bargaining unit under Title 6, Subtitle 5 of the Education Article.

(3) “Public school employee” has the meaning stated in § 6-501 of the Education Article.

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(b) (1) The State Department of Education shall study the wages of education support professionals and calculate the cost of implementing a \$25.00 per hour minimum wage.

(2) The calculation of the cost of implementation shall:

(i) include, for each education support professional position, filled and unfilled, that has an hourly wage of less than \$25.00, the cost to raise the hourly wage to \$25.00; and

(ii) exclude cost assumptions for each education support profession position, filled and unfilled, that has an hourly wage of \$25.00 or more.

(3) The State Department of Education shall identify the amount by which the target per pupil foundation amount would need to be adjusted to provide the funding to implement a \$25.00 per hour minimum wage for education support professionals.

(c) On”;

in line 14, strike “3.” and substitute “2.”; and in line 15, after the period insert “It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and, at the end of June 30, 2027, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.