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BY: Delegate Johnson  
(To be offered in the Appropriations Committee)

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1225  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**Harford County Public Library**” and substitute “**Public Library Systems**”; in line 3, strike “the Harford County Public Library” and substitute “public library systems”; in line 6, after “certain” insert “public library system”; in the same line, strike “of the Library”; in line 7, strike “the” and substitute “an”; in the same line, after “out;” insert “repealing certain provisions of law granting certain employees of the Howard County Library System the right to collectively bargain and establishing the collective bargaining process;”; in line 8, after “for” insert “public library system”; in lines 8 and 9, strike “of the Harford County Public Library”; after line 9, insert:

“BY repealing

Article - Education

Section 23–601 through 23–614 and the subtitle “Subtitle 6. Howard County Library System – Collective Bargaining”

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)”;

in line 12, strike “Harford”; in line 13, strike “County”; and in the same line, after “Library” insert “Systems”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 15, insert:

“SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section(s) 23–601 through 23–614 and the subtitle “Subtitle 6.

Howard County Library System – Collective Bargaining” of Article - Education of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed.”;

in line 16, strike “1.” and substitute “2. AND”; and in the same line, after “IT” insert “FURTHER”; in the same line, strike “BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND”; in line 19, strike “**HARFORD COUNTY**”; and in the same line, after “**LIBRARY**” insert “SYSTEMS”.

On page 2, in lines 1 and 2, strike “**THE HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES**” and substitute “THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM”; in line 8, strike “**THE**” and substitute “AN”; in lines 10 and 11, strike “**HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**”; in line 11, after “**EMPLOYEES**” insert “OF A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM”; strike line 13 in its entirety and substitute:

“(E) “COUNTY” DOES NOT INCLUDE BALTIMORE COUNTY OR PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY.”;

strike line 14 in its entirety; in line 15, strike “**(G)**” and substitute “**(F)**”; in lines 15 and 16, strike “**THE HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**” and substitute “A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM”; in lines 17, 21, and 30, strike “**(H)**”, “**(I)**”, and “**(J)**”, respectively, and substitute “**(G)**”, “**(H)**”, and “**(I)**”, respectively; in line 18, strike “**THE HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**” and substitute “A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM”; in line 30, strike “**THE HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**” and substitute “A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM”; and after line 30, insert:

“(J) “GOVERNING BODY” MEANS:

(1) FOR BALTIMORE CITY, THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY;

(2) FOR A CHARTER COUNTY:

(I) THAT DOES NOT HAVE AN ELECTED CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, THE COUNTY COUNCIL; OR

(II) THAT HAS AN ELECTED CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, THE COUNTY COUNCIL OR THE COUNTY COUNCIL AND THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, AS PROVIDED BY THE COUNTY CHARTER;

(III) FOR A CODE COUNTY, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS;  
AND

(IV) FOR A COMMISSION COUNTY, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.”.

On page 3, in lines 3 and 4, strike “**THE HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**” and substitute “**A PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM**”; after line 17, insert:

**“(M) “PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM” INCLUDES A COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM AND THE ENOCH PRATT FREE LIBRARY.”;**

in line 18, strike “**(M)**” and substitute “**(N)**”; and in line 21, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**AN**”.

On page 4, in line 5, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**AN**”; in lines 21 and 24, in each instance, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**AN**”; in line 27, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**EACH**”; and in the same line, strike “**THE**”.

On page 5, in lines 1 and 9, in each instance, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**EACH**”; and in line 20, after “**THE**” insert “**APPLICABLE**”.

On page 6, in line 24, after the second “**THE**” insert “**APPLICABLE**”; and in line 27, after the first “**THE**” insert “**APPLICABLE**”.

On page 7, in line 4, after “**IN**” insert “**MAKING**”.

On page 8, in line 32, after “**THE**” insert “**APPLICABLE**”.

On page 10, in line 16, strike “**COUNCIL**” and substitute “**GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY**”; and in line 32, strike “**HARFORD COUNTY**” and substitute “**COUNTY**”.

On page 11, in line 1, strike “**IN**”; in line 2, strike “**HARFORD COUNTY**” and substitute “**THE COUNTY**”; in lines 25 and 26, 27, and 31, in each instance, strike “**COUNTY EXECUTIVE**” and substitute “**GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY**”; in lines 31 and 32, strike “**THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE**”; and in line 32, strike “**DETERMINES IS**” and substitute “**DETERMINED**”.

On page 12, in lines 6 and 9, in each instance, strike “**COUNTY COUNCIL**” and substitute “**GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY**”; in line 8, strike “**COUNTY EXECUTIVE**” and substitute “**APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY**”; in line 14, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**AN**”; and in line 23, strike the first “**THE**” and substitute “**EACH**”.

On page 13, in line 14, after “**THE**” insert “**APPLICABLE**”; in line 15, strike “**THE**”; in line 27, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**AN**”; and in line 29, strike “**2.**” and substitute “**3.**”.