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AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 362

(Third (Committee Reprint))

AMENDMENT NO.1

On page 1, in line 17, after "education;" insert "requiring that any State fee or toll or rate of State tax that is increased based on growth in the Consumer Price Index shall also be adjusted downward to reflect any decrease in the Consumer Price Index;".

On page 3, after line 39, insert:

"BY adding to

Article - General Provisions

Section 1-405

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2019 Replacement Volume and 2023 Supplement)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 30, after line 31, insert:

"Article - General Provisions

1–405.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, ANY STATE FEE OR TOLL OR RATE OF A STATE TAX, INCLUDING ANY EXISTING FEE, TOLL, OR RATE OF TAX, THAT IS INCREASED BASED ON GROWTH IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, SHALL ALSO BE ADJUSTED DOWNWARD TO REFLECT ANY DECREASE IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX."

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On page 44, in lines 8, 17, and 31, in each instance, strike "*GROWTH*" and substitute "*CHANGE*"; and in lines 13 and 26, in each instance, strike "*INCREASED*" and substitute "*ADJUSTED*".

On page 45, strike beginning with "<u>1.</u>" in line 1 down through "<u>2.</u>" in line 4.