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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 860
(First Reading File Bill)

On page 4, in line 9, after “(6)” insert “(I)”; in lines 10, 11, and 12, strike “(I)”, “(II)”, and “(III)”, respectively, and substitute “1.”, “2.”, and “3.”, respectively; after line 13, insert:

“(II) MONEY RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT FROM THE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION IS SUPPLEMENTAL TO AND IS NOT INTENDED TO TAKE THE PLACE OF FUNDING THAT OTHERWISE WOULD BE APPROPRIATED IN THE ANNUAL STATE OPERATING OR CAPITAL BUDGET BILL FOR PROJECTS OR ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT.”;

in line 14, strike “ADMINISTRATIVE”; strike line 16 in its entirety; in lines 17 and 18, strike “(II)” and “(III)”, respectively, and substitute “(I)” and “(II)”, respectively; and after line 25, insert:

“(10) (I) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF § 7-213 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE, THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT REDUCE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FUND IN THE STATE BUDGET AS APPROVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

(II) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, MONEY APPROPRIATED FOR THE FUND SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND.

(11) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1 EACH YEAR, THE SECRETARY SHALL REPORT TO THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE HEALTH COMMITTEE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1257 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FUND FOR THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR, INCLUDING:

(I) THE TOTAL AMOUNT IN THE FUND;

**(II) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF DEPOSITS MADE TO THE FUND,
INCLUDING AMOUNTS AND SOURCES; AND**

**(III) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF EXPENDITURES MADE FROM THE
FUND, INCLUDING AMOUNTS AND PURPOSES.”.**