AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1342

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Amend Bill, page 1, line 16, by striking out the bracket after "teacher,"

Amend Bill, page 1, line 16, by inserting after "(2)"

] (1)

Amend Bill, page 1, line 17, by inserting a bracket before "(3)"

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] (2)

Amend Bill, page 1, line 19, by inserting a bracket before "(4)"

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] (3)

Amend Bill, page 2, line 1, by inserting a bracket before "(5)"

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] (4)

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 9 through 14, by striking out all of lines 9 through 13 and "entering kindergarten" in line 14 and inserting

Prior to admission to school for the first time, a parent or legal guardian

Amend Bill, page 2, line 14, by striking out "school health personnel" and inserting

the school entity or nonpublic school

Amend Bill, page 2, line 15, by inserting after "certification"

from a primary care provider or vision screener

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 15 and 16, by striking out "within the previous twelve months passed" and inserting

has passed or failed

Amend Bill, page 2, line 20, by inserting after "optometrist"

within the previous twelve months

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 26 through 29, by striking out "public, private, parochial" in line 26, all of lines 27 and 28 and "schools" in line 29 and inserting

school entity or nonpublic school

Amend Bill, page 3, line 13, by striking out "should" and inserting

may

Amend Bill, page 3, line 16, by striking out "shall" and inserting

may

Amend Bill, page 3, line 29, by striking out "shall" and inserting

may

Amend Bill, page 4, line 1, by inserting after "examination"

under subsection (b)(2)

Amend Bill, page 4, line 3, by inserting after "be"

denied admission or

Amend Bill, page 4, line 4, by inserting after "or"

legal

Amend Bill, page 4, lines 6 through 9, by striking out "Parents and guardians that" in line 6 and all of lines 7 through 9 and inserting

A parent or legal guardian who fails to present the required report within a year of a failed exam shall be notified by the school entity or nonpublic school of, to the extent available, vision resources.

(d) A school entity or nonpublic school shall not be required to provide comprehensive eye examination or held financially responsible for the treatment of a child who fails the required vision screening.

(e) This section shall apply to school years beginning after the regulations are promulgated by the Advisory Health Board under subsection (a)(2).

(f) As used in this section, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Nonpublic school." As defined in section 922.1-A.

"School entity." A school district, charter school, regional charter school, cyber charter school, intermediate unit or area career and technical school.