Adopted AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 1424

By Senator(s) Gordon

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

- 7 <u>SECTION 1.</u> The State Department of Finance and
- 8 Administration shall establish policies that allow the payment of
- 9 various fees and other accounts receivable to state agencies by
- 10 credit cards, charge cards, debit cards and other forms of
- 11 electronic payment in the discretion of the department. Fees or
- 12 charges associated with the use of such electronic payments may be
- 13 paid out of any funds available to the agency or the agency may
- 14 assess an additional charge to process such an electronic payment.
- 15 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 16 and after passage.

Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

- AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE STATE AGENCIES TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS,
- 2 CHARGE CARDS, DEBIT CARDS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS TO
- 3 PAYMENT OF GOVERNMENT FEES, COSTS AND DEBTS PURSUANT TO POLICIES
- 4 ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR
- 5 RELATED PURPOSES.