

Amendment No. 3—Following line 16 of Section 1 on page 1 of the printed bill, insert the following new section:

“4. The General Assembly shall have the power to provide by law, from time to time, for altering and changing the boundaries of the existing legislative districts of the City of Baltimore, so as to make them as near as may be of equal population; but said district shall always consist of contiguous territory. The several legislative districts of the City of Baltimore as they existed in 1961 shall be so altered and changed by the General Assembly, not later than the regular session of 1963. If such a law is not enacted by the end of the regular session of 1963 the Governor promptly thereafter shall propose an alteration and change of the boundaries of the several legislative districts, in conformity with the provisions of this section; but the alterations and changes as proposed by the Governor shall not be effective until and unless they are approved by the General Assembly. The power of the Governor to propose changes and alterations in the boundaries of the existing legislative districts shall not be construed or applied to affect the power of the General Assembly thereafter to alter and change these boundaries in conformity with the provisions of this section.”

Which was read.

Amendment No. 4—Strike out all of lines 52 to 67, inclusive, of Section 5 on page 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

“The total population of the State according to the census shall be divided by the number one hundred and twenty-three (123). The resulting quotient, taken to the nearest figure of an even thousand, is the unit of population until a similar computation is made following the next census. The unit of population shall then be divided into the population of each county in the State and of each legislative district of Baltimore City. Each county and legislative district shall receive an aggregate number of Delegates (which includes its minimum of two Delegates) as its population exceeds the number of units of population listed in the following schedule:

When The Population of the County or Legislative District Exceeds This Number of Units of Population	The County or Legislative District Is Entitled to This Total Number of Delegates
One-Unit Sub-Divisions	
2	3
3	4
Two-Unit Sub-Divisions	
4	5
6	6
8	7
Three-Unit Sub-Divisions	
10	8
13	9
16	10
Four-Unit Sub-Divisions	
19	11
23	12