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CHAPTER

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Higher Education - Community Colleges - State Funding

- 3 FOR the purpose of adding a certain component of State funding for certain
- 4 community colleges for certain fiscal years; <u>altering provisions of law regarding</u>
- 5 the eligibility of a community college board of trustees for a certain hold
- 6 harmless component under certain circumstances; establishing a formula to
- 7 determine the amount of a certain State funding component; providing for the
- 8 division and distribution of the component; making stylistic changes; and
- 9 generally relating to State funding for community colleges.
- 10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
- 11 <u>Article Education</u>
- 12 <u>Section 16-305(b)(6)</u>
- 13 <u>Annotated Code of Maryland</u>
- 14 (1999 Replacement Volume)
- 15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 16 Article Education
- 17 Section 16-305(c)(3), (7),(8), and (9)
- 18 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 19 (1999 Replacement Volume)

1 BY adding to 2 Article - Education 3 Section 16-305(c)(8) 4 Annotated Code of Maryland 5 (1999 Replacement Volume)		
6 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:		
8		Article - Education
9 16-305.		
10 (b) (6) 11 State share:	"Direct grants" means the sum of the following components of the	
12	<u>(i)</u>	Fixed costs;
13	<u>(ii)</u>	Marginal costs; and
14	<u>(iii)</u>	Size factor.
15 (c) (3) Subject to subsection (d) of this section, the total State share for each 16 board shall be the sum of:		
17	(i)	The fixed costs component;
18	(ii)	The marginal costs component;
19	(iii)	The size factor component; [and]
20	(iv)	A hold harmless component; AND
21	(V)	A SUPPLEMENTAL COMPONENT.
22 (7) (i) A board shall be eligible for a hold harmless component 23 beginning in fiscal year 1998 if the sum of the board's [fixed costs, marginal costs, 24 and size factor components] DIRECT GRANTS for the fiscal year is less than the 25 board's [total State share] DIRECT GRANTS PLUS A HOLD HARMLESS COMPONENT in 26 the prior fiscal year.		
29 components] DIRE	CT GRA	The hold harmless component amount shall be determined by gible board's [fixed costs, marginal costs, and size factor NTS for the fiscal year from the board's [total State share] HOLD HARMLESS COMPONENT for the prior fiscal year.
31 (8)	(I)	THE SUPPLEMENTAL COMPONENT SHALL BE:
32 33 IS DETERMINED	UNDER	1. CALCULATED AFTER THE HOLD HARMLESS COMPONENT PARAGRAPH (7) OF THIS SUBSECTION; AND

HOUSE BILL 311

- 1 EQUAL TO 1.75% OF THE TOTAL STATE OPERATING FUND 2 BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2003 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER. THE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR THE SUPPLEMENTAL COMPONENT (II)4 SHALL BE DIVIDED AND DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS: 1. 20% EACH TO ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND, 6 GARRETT COMMUNITY COLLEGE, AND HAGERSTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE; AND 7 10% EACH TO CARROLL COMMUNITY COLLEGE, CECIL 8 COMMUNITY COLLEGE, CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE, AND WOR-WIC COMMUNITY 9 COLLEGE. Any employer Social Security contributions required by federal 10 [(8)](9) 11 law for any employee of a board of community college trustees shall remain the 12 obligation of the employer.
- 13 [(9)] (10) The State contribution to retirement and fringe benefit costs is 14 not included in the calculations of amounts under this subsection.
- 15 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 16 July 1, 2000.