

HOUSE BILL 232

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HB 926/13 – W&M

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By: **Delegate Olszewski**
Introduced and read first time: January 17, 2014
Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **County Boards of Education – Spending – Reporting Requirement**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring each county board of education to provide a report to the
4 State Department of Education by certain dates on the amount of State, local,
5 and federal funds spent per student for certain students at each school;
6 requiring the Department to submit a certain report to the General Assembly
7 by certain dates; stating the intent of the General Assembly; and generally
8 relating to the amount of per student spending by each county board.

9 BY adding to
10 Article – Education
11 Section 5–119
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article – Education**

17 **5–119.**

18 **(A) BY OCTOBER 1, 2015, AND EVERY 3 YEARS THEREAFTER, EACH**
19 **COUNTY BOARD SHALL SUBMIT A FUNDING REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT THAT**
20 **INCLUDES THE STATE, LOCAL, AND FEDERAL PER STUDENT SPENDING FOR:**

21 **(1) STUDENTS QUALIFIED FOR COMPENSATORY EDUCATION**
22 **FUNDING UNDER § 5–207 OF THIS TITLE;**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(2) STUDENTS QUALIFIED FOR LIMITED-ENGLISH PROFICIENCY**
2 **FUNDING UNDER § 5-208 OF THIS TITLE;**

3 **(3) STUDENTS QUALIFIED FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION FUNDING**
4 **UNDER § 5-208 OF THIS TITLE;**

5 **(4) MAGNET STUDENTS; AND**

6 **(5) ALL OTHER STUDENTS.**

7 **(B) THE INFORMATION REQUIRED IN SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION**
8 **SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL IN THE COUNTY.**

9 **(C) BY DECEMBER 1, 2015, AND EVERY 3 YEARS THEREAFTER, THE**
10 **DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT A COPY OF THE REPORTS RECEIVED IN**
11 **ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION TO THE GENERAL**
12 **ASSEMBLY, AS PROVIDED UNDER § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT**
13 **ARTICLE.**

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the
15 General Assembly that the per student amounts provided in the reports required
16 under § 5-119 of the Education Article as enacted by this Act represent the actual
17 amount of spending and not the amount budgeted per student.

18 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
19 October 1, 2014.