

# HOUSE BILL 1149

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CF SB 874

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By: **Frederick County Delegation**

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Assigned to: Appropriations

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Frederick Center for Research and Education in Science and Technology –**  
3 **Funding**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Governor to annually appropriate ~~a certain amount~~ to  
5 Frederick Center for Research and Education in Science and Technology (CREST)  
6 an amount that is equivalent to an amount appropriated to a certain regional higher  
7 education center and that, for certain fiscal years, is in addition to an amount that  
8 covers certain costs for certain purposes; and generally relating to Frederick CREST.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
10 Article – Education  
11 Section 24–1002  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
15 Article – Education  
16 Section 24–1004(h)  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland  
18 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

21 **Article – Education**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 24-1002.

2 There is a Frederick Center for Research and Education in Science and Technology  
3 that is governed by the Frederick Center for Research and Education in Science and  
4 Technology Governing Board.

5 24-1004.

6 (h) (1) THE GOVERNOR SHALL ANNUALLY APPROPRIATE TO FREDERICK  
7 CREST AN AMOUNT THAT ~~COVERS START-UP COSTS AND IS IN ADDITION IS~~  
8 EQUIVALENT TO THE AMOUNT APPROPRIATED TO A SIMILAR REGIONAL HIGHER  
9 EDUCATION CENTER TO CARRY OUT THIS SUBTITLE AND, FOR FISCAL YEARS 2018  
10 THROUGH 2020, IS IN ADDITION TO AN AMOUNT THAT COVERS START-UP COSTS  
11 INCURRED BY FREDERICK CREST.

12 (2) The Board may apply, accept, and expend any gift, appropriation, or  
13 grant from the State, county, or federal government or any other person.

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
15 1, 2016.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.