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By: Senators King, Feldman, Guzzone, Kagan, Lee, Madaleno, Manno, Peters, Smith, Young, and Zucker

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

Higher Education – Community Colleges – Funding

FOR the purpose of altering the calculation of the required funding amount for community colleges including the Baltimore City Community College in certain fiscal years; and generally relating to the funding of community colleges.

- 6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
- 7 Article Education
- 8 Section 16–305(a)
- 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 10 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)
- 11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 12 Article Education
- 13 Section 16–305(c)(1)(i) and 16–512(a)(1)
- 14 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 15 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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

- 18 Article Education
- 19 16–305.

20 (a) The formula used for the distribution of funds to the community colleges in 21 the State shall be known as the Senator John A. Cade Funding Formula.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (c) (1) (i) Except as provided in subparagraphs (iii), (iv), and (v) of this 2 paragraph, the total State operating fund per full-time equivalent student to the 3 community colleges for each fiscal year as requested by the Governor shall be:

1. [In fiscal year 2009, not less than an amount equal to 26.25% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year;

9 2. In fiscal year 2010, not less than an amount equal to 23.6% 10 of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year 11 public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for 12 the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article 13 in the same fiscal year;

In fiscal year 2011, not less than an amount equal to 21.8%
of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year
public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for
the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article
in the same fiscal year;

4.] In fiscal year 2012, not less than an amount equal to 20%
of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year
public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for
the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article
in the same fiscal year;

[5.] 2. In fiscal year 2014, an amount that is the greater of 19.7% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$1,839.47 per full-time equivalent student;

[6.] **3.** In fiscal year 2015, an amount that is the greater of 19.7% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$1,839.47 per full-time equivalent student;

34 [7.] 4. In fiscal year 2017, not less than an amount equal 35 to 20.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 36 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission 37 for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this 38 article in the same fiscal year;

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1 [8.] 5. In fiscal year 2018, not less than an amount equal 2 to 21.0% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 3 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission 4 for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this 5 article in the same fiscal year;

6 [9.] 6. In fiscal year 2019, not less than an amount equal 7 to [22.0%] 24.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent 8 student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by 9 the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under 10 Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year;

11 [10.] **7.** In fiscal year 2020, not less than an amount equal 12 to [23%] **27%** of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student 13 to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the 14 Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 15 17 of this article in the same fiscal year; **AND**

16 [11.] 8. In fiscal year 2021 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR 17 THEREAFTER, not less than an amount equal to [25%] 29% of the State's General Fund 18 appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher 19 education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering 20 the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year[;

12. In fiscal year 2022, not less than an amount equal to 27% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year; and

13. In fiscal year 2023 and each fiscal year thereafter, not less than an amount equal to 29% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year].

31 16–512.

32 (a) (1) The total State operating fund per full-time equivalent student 33 appropriated to Baltimore City Community College for each fiscal year other than fiscal 34 year 2013, as requested by the Governor shall be:

(i) [In fiscal year 2009, not less than an amount equal to 67.25% of
the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year
public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for

the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this articlein the previous fiscal year;

3 (ii) In fiscal year 2010, not less than an amount equal to 65.1% of the 4 State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public 5 institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the 6 purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in 7 the same fiscal year;

8 (iii) In fiscal year 2011, not less than an amount equal to 65.5% of the 9 State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public 10 institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the 11 purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in 12 the same fiscal year;

(iv)] In fiscal year 2012, not less than an amount equal to 63% of the
State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public
institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the
purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in
the same fiscal year;

18 [(v)] (II) In fiscal year 2014, an amount that is the greater of 61% 19 of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year 20 public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for 21 the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article 22 in the same fiscal year or \$5,695.63 per full-time equivalent student;

[(vi)] (III) In fiscal year 2015, an amount that is the greater of 61% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$5,695.63 per full-time equivalent student;

[(vii)] (IV) In fiscal year 2016, an amount that is the greater of 58% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$5,695.63 per full-time equivalent student;

[(viii)] (V) In fiscal year 2017, an amount that is the greater of 58% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$5,695.63 per full-time equivalent student;

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1 [(ix)] (VI) In fiscal year 2018, not less than an amount equal to 60% 2 of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year 3 public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for 4 the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article 5 in the same fiscal year;

6 [(x)] (VII) In fiscal year 2019, not less than an amount equal to [61%] 7 63.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 8 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission 9 for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this 10 article in the same fiscal year;

11 [(xi)] (VIII) In fiscal year 2020, not less than an amount equal to 12 [62.5%] 66% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student 13 to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the 14 Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 15 17 of this article in the same fiscal year; AND

16 [(xii)] (IX) In fiscal year 2021 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR 17 THEREAFTER, not less than an amount equal to [64.5%] 68.5% of the State's General 18 Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of 19 higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of 20 administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same 21 fiscal year[;

(xiii) In fiscal year 2022, not less than an amount equal to 66.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year; and

(xiv) In fiscal year 2023 and each fiscal year thereafter, not less than an amount equal to 68.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year].

32 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 33 1, 2017.