A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Operating Budget – Education Programs – Mandated Funding

FOR the purpose of requiring the Governor to include in the annual budget bill, beginning in a certain fiscal year, an appropriation of at least a certain amount for certain education programs, plus a certain additional amount; and generally relating to mandated funding for education programs in the State budget.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That, for fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill an appropriation to any program under Funding for Educational Organizations (R00A03) equal to the funding the program received the prior fiscal year and an additional $250,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2020.