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**By: Delegates Gordon, Hixson, Heller, Hurson, Barve, and Kagan** Introduced and read first time: January 15, 1997 Assigned to: Ways and Means

# A BILL ENTITLED

## 1 AN ACT concerning

#### 2 Education - School Buses - Charging of Fees Prohibited

3 FOR the purpose of prohibiting the charging of a fee for transporting public school

- 4 students to school from their designated bus stop locations or from school to their
- 5 designated bus stop locations.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 7 Article Education
- 8 Section 7-801(b)
- 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 10 (1997 Replacement Volume)

### 11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

12 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## 13 Article - Education

14 7-801.

15 (b) (1) At its own expense, a county governing body may provide transportation 16 for public school students in addition to the transportation provided by the State.

17 (2) A FEE MAY NOT BE CHARGED FOR TRANSPORTING PUBLIC SCHOOL

18 STUDENTS:

19 20 OR	(I) TO SCHOOL FROM THEIR DESIGNATED BUS STOP LOCATIONS;
21	(II) FROM SCHOOL TO THEIR DESIGNATED BUS STOP LOCATIONS.
22	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect

23 July 1, 1997.