
By: Senator Currie, Chairman, Prince George's County Senators (Prince George's County Executive)

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Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Community College - Funding Formula**

3 FOR the purpose of altering, for Prince George's County, a provision relating to
4 increases in State support for community colleges; providing for the application of
5 this Act; and generally relating to the formula for the computation of certain State
6 aid to community colleges.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
8 Article - Education
9 Section 16-305(c)
10 Annotated Code of Maryland
11 (1997 Replacement Volume)

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

14 **Article - Education**

15 16-305.

16 (c) (1) [In] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION,
17 IN each fiscal year, in order for a board to receive an increase in the State share of
18 support, the county share, in the aggregate, that supports the community college or
19 colleges shall equal or exceed the aggregate amount of operating fund appropriations
20 made to the board by the county or all of the counties supporting the college in the
21 previous fiscal year.

22 (2) IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, IF THE COUNTY SHARE, IN THE
23 AGGREGATE, THAT SUPPORTS THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DOES NOT EQUAL OR
24 EXCEED THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF OPERATING FUND APPROPRIATIONS MADE
25 TO THE BOARD BY THE COUNTY IN THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR, THE INCREASE IN
26 THE STATE SHARE OF SUPPORT SHALL BE REDUCED BY 1 PERCENT FOR EACH 1
27 PERCENT REDUCTION IN THE COUNTY SHARE FROM THE COUNTY SHARE IN THE
28 PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR.

29 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall apply to the
30 fiscal year that begins July 1, 1997, and to each fiscal year thereafter.

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1 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 July 1, 1997.