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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Delegate Scholarships - Use at Out-of-State Institutions - Disabled**
3 **Applicants**

4 FOR the purpose of establishing that disabled applicants may use a Delegate
5 Scholarship at certain institutions outside the State under certain
6 circumstances; and generally relating to the use of a Delegate Scholarship at an
7 institution outside the State.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article - Education
10 Section 18-501
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (1997 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

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

15 **Article - Education**

16 18-501.

17 (a) There is a program of Delegate Scholarships in this State that are awarded
18 under this subtitle.

19 (b) A scholarship awarded under this subtitle may be used at:

1 (1) An eligible institution for a program of undergraduate, graduate, or
2 professional studies;

3 (2) An accredited undergraduate, graduate, or professional institution
4 outside the State, if:

5 (I) [the] THE applicant will be studying in an academic area that
6 is not available in this State; OR

7 (II) 1. THE APPLICANT IS DISABLED;

8 2. THE APPLICANT WILL BE STUDYING AT AN INSTITUTION
9 OUTSIDE THE STATE THAT MAKES SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR DISABLED STUDENTS;
10 AND

11 3. COMPARABLE SPECIAL PROVISIONS ARE NOT AVAILABLE
12 TO THAT STUDENT AT AN INSTITUTION IN THE STATE; and

13 (3) A private career school within the State that is approved by the
14 Maryland Higher Education Commission under § 11-202 of this article and that is
15 accredited by a national accrediting association that is approved by the United States
16 Department of Education.

17 (c) Moneys appropriated to the Commission for scholarships awarded under
18 this section that are not used by the end of the fiscal year shall be retained by the
19 Commission for use by the awarding Delegate in the Delegate Scholarship Program
20 during subsequent fiscal years.

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
22 June 1, 1999.