## **Department of Legislative Services**

Maryland General Assembly 1999 Session

## **FISCAL NOTE**

Senate Bill 413 (Senator Middleton)

**Economic and Environmental Affairs** 

**Education - Charles County Board of Education - Elimination of Staggered Terms** 

This bill eliminates the staggered terms of office for members of the Charles County Board of Education by requiring all board members to be elected at the gubernatorial election.

## **Fiscal Summary**

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. Eliminating the staggering of board members elections would not

affect Charles County finances.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

## **Fiscal Analysis**

**Background:** The Charles County Board of Education has 7 members elected to a 4-year term. Three members will be elected in calendar 2000 and 4 in calendar 2002. Pursuant to this legislation, the staggering of board members elections would be eliminated and all 7 members would be elected at the gubernatorial election beginning in calendar 2002. Accordingly, the 3 board members elected in 2000 will only serve for 2 years.

**Information Source:** Charles County

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