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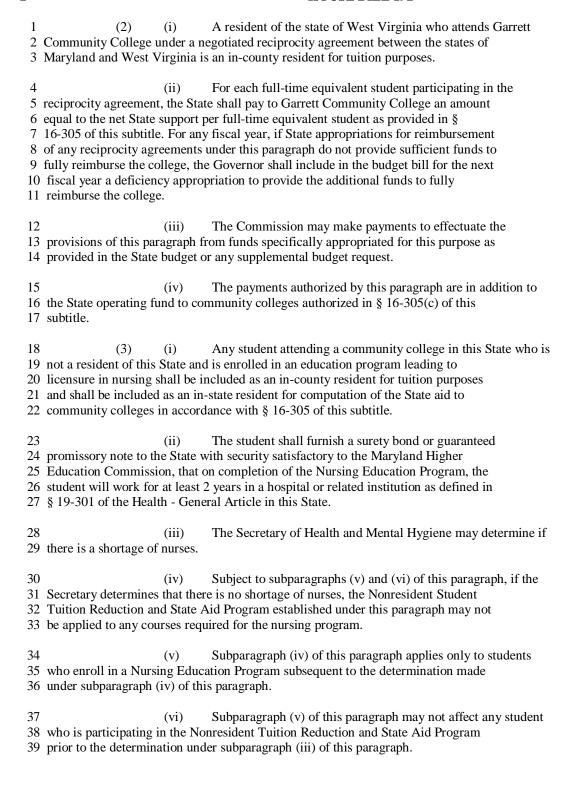
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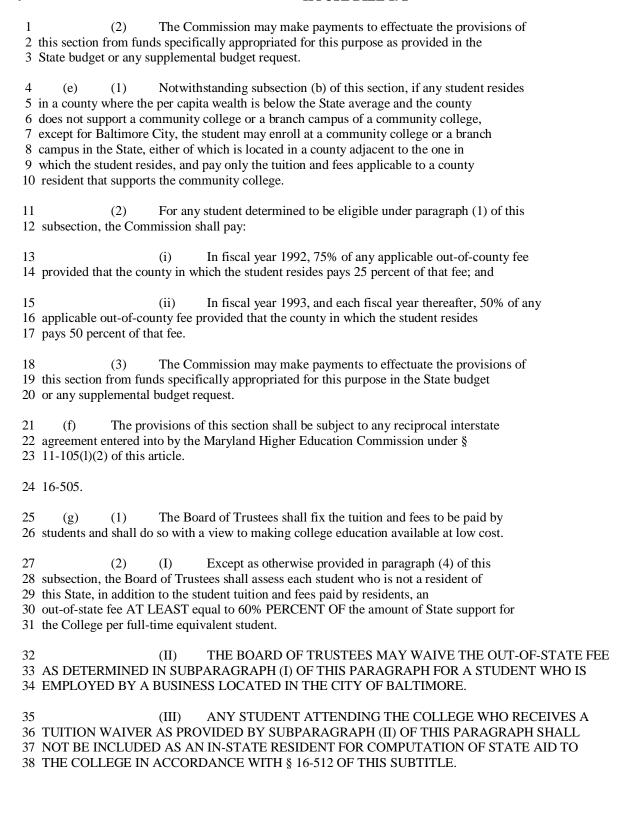
By: Chairman, Ways and Means Committee (Departmental - Higher **Education Commission**) Introduced and read first time: January 21, 2000 Assigned to: Ways and Means A BILL ENTITLED 1 AN ACT concerning 2 Higher Education - Community Colleges - Tuition and Fees for Nonresident 3 **Students** 4 FOR the purpose of altering the formula that determines the out-of-state fee and the 5 out-of-county and out-of-region fees charged to nonresident students who attend certain community colleges; providing for a certain waiver of certain fees; 6 7 and generally relating to tuition and fees for nonresident students at certain community colleges. 8 9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article - Education 10 Section 16-310 and 16-505(g) 11 Annotated Code of Maryland 12 13 (1999 Replacement Volume) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 14 15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 16 **Article - Education** 17 16-310. Subject to paragraphs [(2) and (3)] (2), (3), AND (4) of this subsection 19 and subsection (f) of this section, any student who attends a community college in this 20 State and is not a resident of this State shall pay, in addition to the student tuition 21 and fees payable by a county resident, an out-of-state fee, AT LEAST equal [to the 22 State share and] TO: 23 60% OF the county share per full-time equivalent student as 24 determined under § 16-305 of this subtitle; AND

26 FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT STUDENT AS DETERMINED UNDER § 16-305(C)(5) OF THIS

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1 (4) EACH BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRUSTEES MAY WAIVE (I) 2 THE OUT-OF-STATE FEE AS DETERMINED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION 3 FOR A STUDENT WHO IS EMPLOYED BY A BUSINESS LOCATED IN THE COUNTY THAT 4 SUPPORTS THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE. 5 ANY STUDENT ATTENDING A COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN THIS (II)6 STATE WHO RECEIVES A TUITION WAIVER AS PROVIDED BY THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL 7 NOT BE INCLUDED AS AN IN-STATE RESIDENT FOR COMPUTATION OF STATE AID TO 8 COMMUNITY COLLEGES IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 16-305 OF THIS SUBTITLE. 9 Subject to the provisions of [paragraph (2)] PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (3) 10 of this subsection, any student who attends a community college not supported by the 11 county in which the student resides shall pay, in addition to the student tuition and 12 fees payable by a resident of a county that supports the community college, an 13 out-of-county or out-of-region fee AT LEAST equal to 60% OF the county share per 14 full-time equivalent student as determined under § 16-305 of this subtitle. 15 Any student who resides in an incorporated municipality whose 16 corporate limits extend into 2 counties in the State is considered an in-county 17 resident for tuition purposes at a community college campus located within that 18 municipality that is supported by either county. 19 If a student is considered an in-county resident under this (ii) 20 paragraph and the student does not reside in the county that supports the community 21 college, the county in which the student resides shall pay the difference between the 22 out-of-county tuition and the in-county tuition. EACH BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRUSTEES MAY WAIVE THE 23 24 OUT-OF-COUNTY OR OUT-OF-REGION FEE, AS DETERMINED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF 25 THIS SUBSECTION, FOR A STUDENT WHO IS EMPLOYED BY A BUSINESS LOCATED IN 26 THE COUNTY THAT SUPPORTS THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE. 27 Any county may appropriate money to pay the out-of-county or 28 out-of-region fees for county residents who attend a community college in this State that is not supported by that county. 30 (d) (1) Notwithstanding subsection (b) of this section, if any student is a 31 resident of this State and enrolls in an instructional program that the Commission 32 designates as a health manpower shortage program or a statewide or regional 33 program, the student shall pay only the student tuition and fees payable by a resident 34 of a county that supports the community college and the Commission shall pay any 35 applicable out-of-county fee. For any fiscal year, if State appropriations to the 36 Commission for payment of any applicable out-of-county fee under this paragraph do 37 not provide sufficient funds to fully reimburse applicable out-of-county fees, the 38 Governor shall include in the budget bill for the next fiscal year a deficiency 39 appropriation to provide the additional funds to fully reimburse the out-of-county 40 fees.



- 1 (3) For purposes of this subsection, the number of full-time equivalent 2 students is the quotient of the number of student credit hours produced in the fiscal 3 year divided by 30. 4 (4) A student who is not a resident of the State shall be considered a 5 resident for purposes of assessing tuition and fees to the extent that such student 6 would be eligible for in-county status under the provisions of § 16-310(a)(3) or (f) of 7 this title. 8 (5) The Board of Trustees shall set tuition and fees for students who are 9 residents of counties in this State other than Baltimore City at the same rate as the 10 tuition and fees charged to students who reside in Baltimore City.
- 11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take 12 effect July 1, 2000.