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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Education - Public School Holidays - Presidents' Day**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing Presidents' Day as a public school holiday; and  
4 generally relating to public school holidays in the State.

5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
6 Article - Education  
7 Section 7-103(c)(1)  
8 Annotated Code of Maryland  
9 (1999 Replacement Volume)

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

12 **Article - Education**

13 7-103.

14 (c) (1) The following days are public school holidays:

15 (i) Thanksgiving Day and the day after;

- 1                   (ii)     Christmas Eve and from then through January 1;
- 2                   (iii)    Martin Luther King, Jr. Day;
- 3                   (iv)     PRESIDENTS' DAY;
- 4                   (V)     The Friday before Easter and from then through the Monday
- 5 after Easter;
- 6                   [(v)]    (VI)    Memorial Day; and
- 7                   [(vi)]   (VII)    Primary and general election days.

8       SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
9 July 1, 2000.