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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Education - Student Teachers - Stipend**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring that student teachers receive a stipend from the county
4 board; providing that the State Board shall determine the amount of the
5 stipend; and generally relating to student teachers.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7 Article - Education
8 Section 6-107
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

13 **Article - Education**

14 6-107.

15 (a) A county board may make an agreement or financial arrangement with an
16 institution of higher education that satisfies the conditions of § 11-202 of this article,
17 to provide classroom or administrative office experience for student teachers and
18 student interns.

19 (b) The institution of higher education and the county board where the
20 student teaching center program is adopted shall:

21 (1) Approve or select jointly the supervising teachers, who are employees
22 of the county board, to serve in the program; and

23 (2) Adopt an agreed, continuing, in-service improvement program for
24 the supervising teachers.

1 (c) (1) While the student teacher is assigned as a student teacher, he shall
2 be given the same authority as if he were a certificated employee of the county board
3 to which he is assigned.

4 (2) The authority of the student teacher extends to:

5 (i) Every aspect of student management or discipline;

6 (ii) The handling of records of students; and

7 (iii) Any other aspect of authority granted to a certificated employee
8 of a county board.

9 (d) Student teachers and student interns are considered agents of the county
10 board for the limited purposes of:

11 (1) Comprehensive liability insurance coverage under § 4-105 of this
12 article; and

13 (2) Workers' compensation coverage under the Maryland Workers'
14 Compensation Act, but this coverage is not to exceed the salary of a first year teacher
15 in the county school system.

16 (E) (1) STUDENT TEACHERS SHALL RECEIVE A STIPEND FROM THE COUNTY
17 BOARD.

18 (2) THE AMOUNT OF THE STIPEND SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE
19 STATE BOARD.

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
21 October 1, 2001.