
By: **Prince George's County Delegation**

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Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Kindergarten - Full-Time Equivalent Enrollment -**
3 **Funding**
4 **PG 408-03**

5 FOR the purpose of increasing the number of students under the definition of
6 "full-time equivalent enrollment" used to calculate the State share of the
7 foundation program for public education to include the number of students
8 enrolled in kindergarten programs in Prince George's County; providing for the
9 effective date of certain provisions of this Act; providing for the termination of
10 certain provisions of this Act; and generally relating to funding for full-time
11 students enrolled in kindergarten in Prince George's County.

12 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
13 Article - Education
14 Section 5-202(a)(1)
15 Annotated Code of Maryland
16 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

17 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
18 Article - Education
19 Section 5-202(a)(7)
20 Annotated Code of Maryland
21 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

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23 Article - Education
24 Section 5-202(a)(1)
25 Annotated Code of Maryland
26 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)
27 (As enacted by Chapter 288 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002)

28 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

1 Article - Education
2 Section 5-202(a)(6)
3 Annotated Code of Maryland
4 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)
5 (As enacted by Chapter 288 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002)

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

8 **Article - Education**

9 5-202.

10 (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

11 (7) "Full-time equivalent enrollment" means:

12 (i) All students enrolled in grades 1 through 12 or their equivalent
13 in regular day school programs on September 30 of the previous school year;

14 (ii) One half of the number of students enrolled in kindergarten
15 programs on September 30 of the previous school year, except that in Garrett County
16 AND IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY the full number of kindergarten students is
17 included; and

18 (iii) The number of full-time equivalent students, as determined by
19 a regulation of the Department, enrolled in evening high school programs during the
20 previous school year.

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland
22 read as follows:

23 **Article - Education**

24 5-202.

25 (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

26 (6) "Full-time equivalent enrollment" means the sum of:

27 (i) The number of students enrolled in grades 1 through 12 or their
28 equivalent in regular day school programs on September 30 of the previous school
29 year;

30 (ii) Except as provided in item (iii) of this paragraph, the product of
31 the number of students enrolled in kindergarten programs on September 30 of the
32 prior school year and:

33 1. 0.60 in fiscal year 2004;

