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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Education - Public Schools - Registration**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the State Department of Education to develop and  
4 implement a certain system for the registration of certain students in certain  
5 public schools; requiring the Department to consider certain information in  
6 developing and implementing this system; and generally relating to a statewide  
7 system for the registration of students in public schools.

8 BY adding to  
9 Article - Education  
10 Section 7-101.2  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

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

15 **Article - Education**

16 7-101.2.

17 (A) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A STATEWIDE  
18 SYSTEM FOR THE REGISTRATION OF STUDENTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE STATE.

19 (B) IN DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING THE SYSTEM DESCRIBED UNDER  
20 SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONSIDER:

21 (1) STANDARDIZED PROOF OF RESIDENCY; AND

22 (2) SPECIFIED TIMES FOR REGISTRATION.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
24 October 1, 2006.