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By: **Senator Klausmeier**  
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Assigned to: Finance

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Charles H. Hickey, Jr. School - Cessation of Operations - Transfer of**  
3 **Property**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the transfer of the real property and all rights of  
5 physical control over the real property of the Charles H. Hickey, Jr. School to the  
6 Department of Natural Resources if the Department of Juvenile Services ceases  
7 to operate the school in a certain manner; requiring certain transferred property  
8 to become a part of Gunpowder Falls State Park; and generally relating to the  
9 Charles H. Hickey, Jr. School.

10 BY adding to  
11 Article 83C - Juvenile Services  
12 Section 2-118.2  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

15 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
16 Article - State Finance and Procurement  
17 Section 10-304  
18 Annotated Code of Maryland  
19 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

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

22 **Article 83C - Juvenile Services**

23 2-118.2.

24 (A) NOTWITHSTANDING § 10-304 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT  
25 ARTICLE, IF THE DEPARTMENT CEASES TO OPERATE THE CHARLES H. HICKEY, JR.  
26 SCHOOL AS PROVIDED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE SCHOOL

1 AND ALL RIGHTS OF PHYSICAL CONTROL OVER THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE SCHOOL  
2 ARE TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

3 (B) PROPERTY TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
4 UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BECOME A PART OF GUNPOWDER FALLS STATE PARK.

5 **Article - State Finance and Procurement**

6 10-304.

7 (a) This section does not apply to:

8 (1) property that is pledged to secure the payment of principal of or  
9 interest on revenue bonds; or

10 (2) real property that is owned or controlled by the State Highway  
11 Administration.

12 (b) (1) The Board may transfer any property, and all rights of physical  
13 custody and control over the property, from a unit of the Executive Branch of the  
14 State government to another unit of the Executive Branch of the State government.

15 (2) Any property transferred under this subsection is subject to the  
16 continuing general jurisdiction of the Board.

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