

SB 390

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FISCAL AND POLICY NOTE

Senate Bill 390	(Senator Green)(By Request)
Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means

Prince George's County - School Board Districts - Composition

This bill corrects references to the election districts for the Prince George's County Board of Education.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2006.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. The bill is corrective and would not impact county finances.

Small Business Effect: None.

Analysis

Current Law: At the November 2006 general election, Prince George's County voters are scheduled to elect a board of education to replace the current appointed board. The board will consist of five members elected from five school board districts and four members elected from the county at-large.

Background: Chapter 289 of 2002 disbanded the elected Prince George's County Board of Education and established a new board appointed jointly by the Governor and the Prince George's County Executive. The legislation also established five school board election districts to be used in 2006 when voters elect a new board. In reviewing the

school board districts that were established by Chapter 289, the Prince George's County Board of Elections found a few flaws that this bill corrects.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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