CHAPTER 314

(House Bill 1258)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City Public Schools - High School Students - Voter Education

FOR the purpose of declaring the intent of the General Assembly that teachers of Baltimore City public high school students inform students about certain election processes and the importance of exercising the right to vote and registering to vote; and generally relating to voter education of high school students enrolled in Baltimore City public schools.

BY adding to

Article – Education Section 4–309(d) Annotated Code of Maryland

(2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

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

Article - Education

4 - 309.

(D) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT TEACHERS OF BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS INFORM STUDENTS OF THE FEDERAL, STATE, AND BALTIMORE CITY ELECTION PROCESSES AND THE IMPORTANCE OF EXERCISING THE RIGHT TO VOTE AND REGISTERING TO VOTE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2008.

Approved by the Governor, April 24, 2008.