

# HOUSE BILL 577

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By: **Carroll County Delegation**

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Carroll County – Education – Organization of Teachers and Other Personnel**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the definition of “public school employee” in Carroll  
4 County, as it relates to the organization of certificated employees, to include a  
5 registered nurse; and generally relating to the organization of teachers and  
6 other personnel in Carroll County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article – Education  
9 Section 6–401(d)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2008 Replacement Volume)

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

14 **Article – Education**

15 6–401.

16 (d) (1) “Public school employee” means a certificated professional  
17 individual who is employed by a public school employer or an individual of equivalent  
18 status in Baltimore City, except for a county superintendent or an individual  
19 designated by the public school employer to act in a negotiating capacity as provided  
20 in § 6–408(b) of this subtitle.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike-out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



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1 (2) In Montgomery County, “public school employees” include:

2 (i) Certificated and noncertificated substitute teachers  
3 employed by the public school employer for at least 7 days before March 1 of the school  
4 fiscal year ending June 30, 1978, and each year after; and

5 (ii) Home and hospital teachers employed by the public school  
6 employer for at least 7 days before March 1 of the school fiscal year ending June 30,  
7 2000, and each year after.

8 (3) In Baltimore County, “public school employee” includes:

9 (i) A secondary school nurse, an elementary school nurse, and a  
10 special school nurse; and

11 (ii) Supervisory noncertificated employees as defined under §  
12 6–501(h) of this title.

13 (4) In Frederick County, “public school employee” includes a social  
14 worker employed by a public school employer.

15 (5) In Prince George’s County, “public school employee” includes home  
16 and hospital teachers and Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors.

17 (6) In Charles County and Garrett County, “public school employee”  
18 includes Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors.

19 (7) In Carroll County, “public school employee” includes:

20 (I) **A REGISTERED NURSE; AND**

21 (II) [supervisory] **SUPERVISORY** noncertificated employees as  
22 defined under § 6–501(h) of this title.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
24 July 1, 2009.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.