CHAPTER 404

(House Bill 578)

AN ACT concerning

Carroll County - Board of Education - Election of Board Officers

FOR the purpose of <u>altering the title of the board officer of the Carroll County Board of</u> <u>Education from chairman to president</u>; altering the date by which the Carroll County Board of Education is required to elect a president and vice president <u>certain board officer</u> from among its members; <u>providing for the election of a</u> <u>vice president of the County Board from among its members</u>; and generally relating to the Carroll County Board of Education.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, Article – Education Section 3–401(d)(1) Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Education Section 3–402 <u>and 3–403</u> Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume)

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

Article – Education

3-401.

(d) (1) Each member serves for a term of 4 years beginning the first Monday in December immediately following the member's election and until a successor is elected and qualifies. The terms of the members are staggered as required for the elections to the county board in subsection (c)(1) of this section.

3 - 402.

At its first meeting [at the beginning of each year,] ON OR AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER, the county board shall elect a [chairman] PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT from among its members. <u>3–403.</u>

(a) <u>The [chairman] **PRESIDENT** of the county board is entitled to receive</u> <u>\$7,500 annually as compensation and the other members are entitled to receive \$6,500</u> <u>each annually as compensation.</u>

(b) <u>The compensation of the [chairman] **PRESIDENT** and the members described in subsection (a) of this section shall be paid in four equal quarterly installments.</u>

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

Approved by the Governor, May 7, 2009.