Chapter 391

(House Bill 96)

AN ACT concerning

Calvert County – Education – Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps Instructors

FOR the purpose of applying to Calvert County a certain definition of "public school employee" that includes Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors for the purpose of certain provisions of law related to organizations of certificated employees; and generally relating to representation for JROTC instructors in Calvert County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Education Section 6–401(d) Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume and 2009 Supplement)

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

Article – Education

6 - 401.

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

(2) In Montgomery County, "public school employees" include:

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

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

(3) In Baltimore County, "public school employee" includes:

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

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

(4) In Frederick County, "public school employee" includes a social worker employed by a public school employer.

(5) In Prince George's County, "public school employee" includes home and hospital teachers and Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors.

(6) In **CALVERT COUNTY**, Charles County, and Garrett County, "public school employee" includes Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors.

(7) In Carroll County, "public school employee" includes:

(i) A registered nurse; and

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

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2010.

Approved by the Governor, May 4, 2010.