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**FISCAL AND POLICY NOTE**  
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House Bill 597

(Anne Arundel County Delegation)

Ways and Means

Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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**Anne Arundel County - School Board Nominating Commission - Membership**

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This bill adds a member appointed by the Maryland Association of Nonpublic Special Education Facilities (MANSEF) to the School Board Nominating Commission of Anne Arundel County. MANSEF's appointee must be a resident of Anne Arundel County.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2010.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None.

**Local Effect:** Adding an additional member to the School Board Nominating Commission of Anne Arundel County has no affect on local finances.

**Small Business Effect:** Minimal.

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**Analysis**

**Current Law/ Background:** The School Board Nominating Commission of Anne Arundel County was established in 2007 (Chapter 454) to select nominees from whom the Governor must choose for appointment to the Anne Arundel County Board of Education. The commission must submit at least two nominees to the Governor for each vacancy for the county board, unless there are fewer than two applicants for a vacancy.

The School Board Nominating Commission consists of 11 members, appointed as follows:

- five by the Governor, one from each legislative district in the county;
- one by the county executive;
- one by the Teachers Association of Anne Arundel County;
- one by the Annapolis and Anne Arundel County Chamber of Commerce;
- one by the Anne Arundel County Council of Parent Teacher Associations;
- one by the Anne Arundel County Community College Board of Trustees; and
- one by the Association of Educational Leaders.

The county board of education consists of nine members, of whom three members are appointed from the county at large, five members are appointed from each of the five legislative districts in the county, and one is a student member.

MANSEF is a not-for-profit organization of nonpublic special education facilities approved by the Maryland State Department of Education

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### **Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** None.

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