

HOUSE BILL 807

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Labor and Employment – Health Care Personnel Training Fund**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing the Health Care Personnel Training Fund as a
4 special fund to be used to provide grants to certain training consortiums; and
5 generally relating to the Health Care Personnel Training Fund.

6 BY adding to

7 Article – Labor and Employment

8 Section 11–1015

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Labor and Employment**

14 **11–1015.**

15 (A) IN THIS SECTION, “FUND” MEANS THE HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL
16 TRAINING FUND.

17 (B) THERE IS A HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL TRAINING FUND.

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.



1 (C) THE PURPOSE OF THE FUND IS TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO TRAINING
2 CONSORTIUMS THAT INVOLVE LABOR-MANAGEMENT PARTNERSHIPS THAT
3 TRAIN AND UPGRADE THE QUALIFICATIONS OF HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL.

4 (D) THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD SHALL ADMINISTER THE FUND.

5 (E) (1) THE FUND IS A SPECIAL, NONLAPSING FUND THAT IS NOT
6 SUBJECT TO § 7-302 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE.

7 (2) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL HOLD THE FUND
8 SEPARATELY, AND THE COMPTROLLER SHALL ACCOUNT FOR THE FUND.

9 (F) THE FUND CONSISTS OF:

10 (1) ~~MONEY APPROPRIATED IN THE STATE BUDGET TO THE FUND~~
11 MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT;

12 (2) INVESTMENT EARNINGS OF THE FUND; AND

13 (3) ANY OTHER MONEY FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE ACCEPTED FOR
14 THE BENEFIT OF THE FUND, EXCEPT STATE MONEY.

15 (G) THE FUND MAY BE USED ONLY TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO TRAINING
16 CONSORTIUMS THAT INVOLVE LABOR-MANAGEMENT PARTNERSHIPS THAT
17 TRAIN AND UPGRADE THE QUALIFICATIONS OF HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL.

18 (H) (1) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL INVEST THE MONEY OF THE
19 FUND IN THE SAME MANNER AS OTHER STATE MONEY MAY BE INVESTED.

20 (2) ANY INVESTMENT EARNINGS OF THE FUND SHALL BE
21 CREDITED TO THE FUND.

22 (I) EXPENDITURES FROM THE FUND MAY BE MADE ONLY IN
23 ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATE BUDGET.

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
25 July 1, 2011.