

SENATE BILL 87

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By: **Senator Glassman**

Introduced and read first time: January 16, 2012

Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State Payments of Public School Construction Costs – Remittance of**
3 **Reimbursement to County**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the State, when the State provides reimbursement of
5 forward-funded public school construction or public school capital improvement
6 projects, to remit the funds to the county government for certain payments;
7 prohibiting the State from remitting reimbursement funds to the county board
8 of education; and generally relating to State payments of public school
9 construction and capital improvement costs.

10 BY adding to

11 Article – Education

12 Section 5–301(h–1)

13 Annotated Code of Maryland

14 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)

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

17 **Article – Education**

18 5–301.

19 **(H–1) (1) SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (3) OF**
20 **THIS SUBSECTION, WHEN THE STATE REIMBURSES THE COSTS OF A**
21 **FORWARD-FUNDED PUBLIC SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION OR PUBLIC SCHOOL**
22 **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, THE STATE SHALL REMIT THE FUNDS TO THE**
23 **COUNTY GOVERNMENT.**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(2) THE REIMBURSEMENT FUNDS RECEIVED BY A COUNTY**
2 **GOVERNMENT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE USED**
3 **ONLY FOR REQUIRED PAYMENTS FOR DEBT INCURRED BY THE COUNTY FOR**
4 **PUBLIC SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION OR PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT**
5 **PROJECTS.**

6 **(3) THE STATE MAY NOT REMIT REIMBURSEMENT FUNDS TO THE**
7 **COUNTY BOARD.**

8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
9 June 1, 2012.