Chapter 57

(Senate Bill 320)

AN ACT concerning

Frederick County Board of Education - Membership and Employment

FOR the purpose of repealing a certain provision of law prohibiting certain individuals in Frederick County from being elected to or serving on the county board of education; repealing a certain provision of law prohibiting certain individuals in Frederick County from being hired as an administrator or a teacher under certain circumstances; and generally relating to certain individuals who may serve on and may be hired by the Frederick County Board of Education.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Education Section 3–5B–01(a) and (b) Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article – Education Section 3–5B–02 Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)

BY renumbering

Article – Education Section 3–5B–03, 3–5B–04, and 3–5B–05, respectively to be Section 3–5B–02, 3–5B–03, and 3–5B–04, respectively Annotated Code of Maryland (2008 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)

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

Article - Education

3-5B-01.

- (a) The Frederick County Board consists of eight members as follows:
 - (1) Seven members elected from the county at large; and

- (2) One nonvoting student member.
- (b) (1) A candidate elected to the county board shall be a resident and registered voter of Frederick County.
- (2) Any member who no longer resides in the county may not continue as a member of the board.

[3-5B-02.

- (a) An individual who is married to an administrator or teacher of the county board may not be elected to or serve on the county board.
- (b) An individual who is married to a member of the county board may not be hired as an administrator or teacher by the county board unless the individual's spouse first resigns from the county board.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 3-5B-03, 3-5B-04, and 3-5B-05, respectively, of Article – Education of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 3-5B-02, 3-5B-03, and 3-5B-04, respectively.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2012.

Approved by the Governor, April 10, 2012.