

SENATE BILL 111

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Chair, Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee (By Request – Departmental – Higher Education Commission)**

Requested: October 15, 2013

Introduced and read first time: January 8, 2014

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Higher Education Commission – Advisory Councils**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Higher Education Commission to
4 establish a Private Career School Advisory Council; repealing the requirement
5 that the Commission establish a William Donald Schaefer Scholarship Advisory
6 Council; and generally relating to the Maryland Higher Education Commission
7 and higher education advisory councils.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article – Education
10 Section 11–106
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

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

15 **Article – Education**

16 11–106.

17 (a) (1) The Commission shall establish:
18 (i) A Faculty Advisory Council;
19 (ii) A Student Advisory Council;
20 (iii) A Segmental Advisory Council;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



- 1 (iv) A Financial Assistance Advisory Council;
- 2 (v) A Maryland Digital Library Advisory Council; and
- 3 (vi) A [William Donald Schaefer Scholarship Advisory Council]
- 4 **PRIVATE CAREER SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL.**

5 (2) These Councils shall meet periodically for the purpose of reviewing
6 such matters as are referred by the Commission or the Secretary for their
7 consideration and advice.

8 (3) The Councils may make reports and recommendations to the
9 Commission.

10 (b) (1) The Commission may appoint continuing advisory committees that
11 represent various groups in the higher education community.

12 (2) Advisory committees may make recommendations to the
13 Commission on matters of statewide importance that affect their constituencies.

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
15 October 1, 2014.