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A BILL ENTITLED

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1	AN	ACT	concerning

2 Preschool Development Grants - Expansion Grants - Required State Funding

- FOR the purpose of requiring the Governor to include in the State budget certain funding in a certain amount for each fiscal year in which the State Department of Education receives a certain expansion grant through the federal Preschool Development Grants Program; and generally relating to required State funding for certain expansion grants through the federal Preschool Development Grants Program.
- 8 BY adding to
- 9 Article Education
- 10 Section 7–101.3
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)
- 13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
- 14 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 Article – Education

16 **7–101.3.**

- FOR EACH FISCAL YEAR IN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES AN
- 18 EXPANSION GRANT THROUGH THE FEDERAL PRESCHOOL DEVELOPMENT GRANTS
- 19 Program, the Governor shall include in the State budget for that
- 20 FISCAL YEAR, IN ADDITION TO THE AMOUNT REQUIRED UNDER § 7–101.2(D) OF THIS
- 21 SUBTITLE, AN APPROPRIATION OF STATE FUNDS EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT THAT THE
- 22 STATE COMMITTED TO FUND AS THE STATE MATCH IN ITS APPLICATION TO THE
- 23 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE EXPANSION GRANT.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2016.