

HOUSE BILL 570

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By: **Carroll County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: January 27, 2020

Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Carroll County – Education – Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps Instructors**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the definition of “public school employee” for the purposes of
4 provisions of law governing collective bargaining for certificated employees in Carroll
5 County to include Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors; and
6 generally relating to collective bargaining for JROTC instructors in Carroll County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

8 Article – Education

9 Section 6–401(a)

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement)

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

13 Article – Education

14 Section 6–401(e)

15 Annotated Code of Maryland

16 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement)

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,

18 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

19 **Article – Education**

20 6–401.

21 (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

22 (e) (1) “Public school employee” means a certificated professional individual
23 who is employed by a public school employer or an individual of equivalent status in
24 Baltimore City, except for a county superintendent or an individual designated by the

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 public school employer to act in a negotiating capacity as provided in § 6–408(c) of this
2 subtitle.

3 (2) In Montgomery County, “public school employees” include:

4 (i) Certificated and noncertificated substitute teachers employed by
5 the public school employer for at least 7 days before March 1 of the school fiscal year ending
6 June 30, 1978, and each year after; and

7 (ii) Home and hospital teachers employed by the public school
8 employer for at least 7 days before March 1 of the school fiscal year ending June 30, 2000,
9 and each year after.

10 (3) In Baltimore County, “public school employee” includes a secondary
11 school nurse, an elementary school nurse, and a special school nurse.

12 (4) In Frederick County, “public school employee” includes a social worker
13 employed by a public school employer.

14 (5) In Prince George’s County, “public school employee” includes home and
15 hospital teachers and Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) instructors.

16 (6) In Baltimore County, Calvert County, Charles County, and Garrett
17 County, “public school employee” includes Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC)
18 instructors.

19 (7) In Carroll County, “public school employee” includes:

20 (i) A registered nurse; [and]

21 (ii) Supervisory noncertificated employees as defined under §
22 6–501(i) of this title; **AND**

23 **(III) JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS (JROTC)**
24 **INSTRUCTORS.**

25 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
26 1, 2020.