

HOUSE BILL 1075

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By: **Delegate J. Long**

Introduced and read first time: February 5, 2025

Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Calvert County Board of Education – Elections for Members Representing**
3 **Specific Districts – Alterations**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring that members of the Calvert County Board of Education
5 representing certain districts be elected only by the voters of that district; and
6 generally relating to the election of members of the Calvert County Board of
7 Education.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

9 Article – Education

10 Section 3–301(b)

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2022 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

14 Article – Education

15 Section 3–301(d)

16 Annotated Code of Maryland

17 (2022 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

19 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

20 **Article – Education**

21 3–301.

22 (b) The five voting members of the Calvert County Board shall be elected at a
23 general election as required by subsections (d) and (f) of this section.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (d) (1) Of the five voting members of the county board:

2 [(1)] (I) One shall be elected from each of the three county commissioner
3 districts, **ELECTED ONLY BY THE VOTERS OF THAT DISTRICT**; and

4 [(2)] (II) Two shall be elected from the county at large.

5 (2) (I) **AS APPLICABLE FOR THAT COUNTY COMMISSIONER
6 DISTRICT, AT THE GENERAL ELECTION, THE BALLOT SHALL PROVIDE THE VOTER
7 WITH THE CHOICE TO CAST A VOTE "FOR" A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION FROM THAT
8 DISTRICT.**

9 (II) **AFTER THE ELECTION RESULTS ARE CERTIFIED, THE STATE
10 BOARD OF ELECTIONS SHALL DECLARE FOR EACH DISTRICT WHETHER A
11 CANDIDATE HAS BEEN ELECTED.**

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
13 1, 2025.