

# HOUSE BILL 1513

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Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Public Schools – School Security Personnel – Prohibition of Immigration**  
3 **Investigation and Enforcement Functions**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting certain school resource officers and school security  
5 employees from engaging in certain federal immigration investigation and  
6 enforcement functions; and generally relating to federal immigration investigation  
7 and enforcement in public schools.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

9 Article – Education

10 Section 7–1501(a) and (k)

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2022 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

14 Article – Education

15 Section 7–1501(j)

16 Annotated Code of Maryland

17 (2022 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

18 (As enacted by Section 9 of Chapter 59 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)

19 BY adding to

20 Article – Education

21 Section 7–1508.1

22 Annotated Code of Maryland

23 (2022 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

25 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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**Article – Education**

2 7–1501.

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

4 (j) “School resource officer” means:

5 (1) A law enforcement officer as defined under § 1–101(c) of the Public  
6 Safety Article who has been assigned to a school in accordance with a memorandum of  
7 understanding between the chief of a law enforcement agency as defined under § 3–201(d)  
8 of the Public Safety Article and the local education agency; or9 (2) A Baltimore City school police officer, as defined in § 4–318 of this  
10 article.11 (k) “School security employee” means an individual, as defined in regulations  
12 adopted by the Subcabinet, who:

13 (1) Is not a school resource officer; and

14 (2) Is employed by a local school system to provide safety and  
15 security–related services at a public school.16 **7–1508.1.**17 **AN INDIVIDUAL ASSIGNED TO BE A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER OR A SCHOOL**  
18 **SECURITY EMPLOYEE AT A PUBLIC SCHOOL MAY NOT BE USED FOR PURPOSES OF OR**  
19 **OTHERWISE ENGAGE IN FEDERAL IMMIGRATION INVESTIGATION OR ENFORCEMENT**  
20 **FUNCTIONS UNDER § 287(G) OF THE FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY**  
21 **ACT AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOL.**22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
23 1, 2025.