

HOUSE BILL 1407

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By: **Chair, Appropriations Committee**

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2019**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing or altering the distribution of certain revenue; altering
4 certain required appropriations; expanding the uses of certain funds; specifying that
5 certain money received by a certain department is included as a revenue source for
6 a certain Fund; altering the cap on a certain adjustment to a certain revenue
7 estimate relating to nonwithholding income tax revenues; requiring, for a certain
8 fiscal year, the distribution of certain revenues to a certain Fund to be used for a
9 certain purpose; requiring the Governor to include in the budget bill submitted at a
10 certain General Assembly session an appropriation equal to a certain amount to be
11 used for a certain purpose; repealing the authority of a certain Commission to adjust,
12 under certain circumstances, the distribution of proceeds from video lottery
13 terminals in Baltimore City, Anne Arundel County, and Cecil County; altering, for a
14 certain fiscal year, a certain budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment; requiring a
15 certain amount of money to be available in a certain Fund at the end of a certain
16 fiscal year to be used for a certain purpose; authorizing the Governor to process a
17 certain budget amendment to appropriate certain revenues to be used for a certain
18 purpose if a certain condition is met; authorizing the transfer of certain funds;
19 making a stylistic change; and generally relating to the financing of State and local
20 government.

21 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
22 Article – Education
23 Section 6–117.1(a)(1) and (3)
24 Annotated Code of Maryland
25 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



- 1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 2 Article – Education
 3 Section 6–117.1(e)(1)
 4 Annotated Code of Maryland
 5 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
 7 Article – Labor and Employment
 8 Section 10–301(a) and (c)
 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
 10 (2016 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 12 Article – Labor and Employment
 13 Section 10–314
 14 Annotated Code of Maryland
 15 (2016 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 16 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
 17 Article – State Finance and Procurement
 18 Section 3A–309(a), (b), (e), (h), and (i) ~~and 6–104(a)(1), 6–104(a)(1), and 7–330(b), (c),~~
 19 and (f)
 20 Annotated Code of Maryland
 21 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 22 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 23 Article – State Finance and Procurement
 24 Section 3A–309(f) ~~and 6–104(e), 6–104(e), 7–329, and 7–330(g) and (j)~~
 25 Annotated Code of Maryland
 26 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 27 BY repealing
 28 Article – State Government
 29 Section 9–1A–37(c)
 30 Annotated Code of Maryland
 31 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)
- 32 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 33 Chapter 397 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2011, as amended by Chapter
 34 425 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2013, Chapter 464 of the Acts of
 35 the General Assembly of 2014, Chapter 489 of the Acts of the General
 36 Assembly of 2015, Chapter 23 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2017,
 37 and Chapter 10 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2018
 38 Section 16(c)
- 39 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

1 Chapter 489 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2015, as amended by Chapter
 2 321 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016
 3 Section 9(c)

4 BY adding to

5 Chapter 489 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2015, as amended by Chapter
 6 321 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016
 7 Section 9(d)

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

10 **Article – Education**

11 6–117.1.

12 (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

13 (3) “Program” means the Teacher Induction, Retention, and Advancement
 14 Pilot Program.

15 (e) (1) (i) For fiscal year 2018, the Governor shall include in the annual
 16 budget bill an appropriation of \$2,100,000 to the Program.

17 (ii) For fiscal year 2019, the Governor shall include in the annual
 18 budget bill an appropriation of \$3,000,000 for the Program.

19 (iii) For fiscal year 2020 and each fiscal year thereafter, the Governor
 20 shall include in the annual budget bill an appropriation of [~~\$5,000,000~~] **\$1,000,000** for the
 21 Program.

22 **Article – Labor and Employment**

23 10–301.

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

25 (c) “Fund” means the Uninsured Employers’ Fund.

26 10–314.

27 (a) The Fund shall consist of:

28 (1) the money credited to the Fund under Title 9 of this article;

29 (2) income from investments that the State Treasurer makes for the Fund;

30 and

1 (4) money received and accepted as contributions, grants, or gifts as
2 authorized under subsection (c) of this section;

3 (5) general funds appropriated for major information technology
4 development projects of any unit of State government other than a public institution of
5 higher education that:

6 (i) are unencumbered and unexpended at the end of a fiscal year;

7 (ii) have been abandoned; or

8 (iii) have been withheld by the General Assembly or the Secretary;

9 (6) any investment earnings; and

10 (7) any other money from any source accepted for the benefit of the Fund.

11 (f) The Fund does not include any money:

12 (1) received by the [Department of Transportation,] Maryland
13 Transportation Authority[,] or THE Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission;

14 (2) received by the Judicial or Legislative branches of State government; or

15 (3) generated from pay phone commissions that are credited to other
16 accounts or funds in accordance with other provisions of law or are authorized for other
17 purposes in the State budget or through an approved budget amendment.

18 (h) Expenditures from the Fund shall be made only:

19 (1) in accordance with an appropriation approved by the General Assembly
20 in the annual State budget; or

21 (2) through an approved State budget amendment under Title 7, Subtitle
22 2, Part II of this article, provided that a State budget amendment for any project not
23 requested as part of the State budget submission or for any project for which the scope or
24 cost has increased by more than 5% or \$250,000 shall be submitted to the budget
25 committees allowing a 30-day period for their review and comment.

26 (i) The Fund may be used:

27 (1) for major information technology development projects;

28 (2) as provided in subsections (j) and (l) of this section; or

1 (3) notwithstanding § 3A–301(b)(2) of this subtitle, for the costs of the first
2 12 months of operation and maintenance of a major information technology development
3 project.

4 6–104.

5 (a) (1) In this section, “nonwithholding income tax revenues” means the State
6 share of income tax quarterly estimated and final payments with returns made by
7 individuals, as defined in § 10–101 of the Tax – General Article.

8 (e) (1) Beginning with the revenue estimate for fiscal year 2020, the Bureau
9 shall calculate the share of General Fund revenues represented by nonwithholding income
10 tax revenues in accordance with this subsection.

11 (2) (i) For each fiscal year, the Bureau shall calculate the 10–year
12 average share of General Fund revenues represented by nonwithholding income tax
13 revenues.

14 (ii) 1. For each fiscal year, the 10–year average shall use the 10
15 most recently completed fiscal years for which data are available when the estimate is
16 prepared in the September before the beginning of the fiscal year.

17 2. The same 10–year average shall be used in all subsequent
18 revisions to the revenue estimate for that fiscal year.

19 (3) (i) Subject to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, for each fiscal
20 year, if the Bureau’s estimate of the share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding
21 income tax revenues is above the 10–year average share, the Bureau shall adjust the
22 revenue estimate by reducing General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax
23 revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues
24 from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10–year average share of General Fund
25 revenues from nonwithholding income taxes.

26 (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph
27 may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues:

28 1. ~~[0.5%]~~ **0.25%** for fiscal year 2020;

29 2. 1% for fiscal year 2021; and

30 3. 2% for fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter.

31 (iii) The capped estimate calculated under this paragraph shall be
32 incorporated in the revenue estimate the Bureau shall report to the Board in the report
33 required under subsection (b)(2) of this section.

34 7–329.

(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

(2) “Fund” means the Fiscal Responsibility Fund established under § 7–330 of this subtitle.

(3) (i) “Nonwithholding income tax revenues” means the State share of income tax quarterly estimated and final payments with returns made by individuals, as defined in § 10–101 of the Tax – General Article.

(ii) “Nonwithholding income tax revenues” does not include:

1. the county share of income tax quarterly estimated and final payments with returns made by individuals;

2. income tax payments made by corporations;

3. income tax refunds paid to individuals or corporations; or

4. income tax withholding.

(b) At the end of fiscal year 2020, and each fiscal year thereafter, if General Fund revenues for the fiscal year are less than the March estimate of the Board of Revenue Estimates, the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceeds the capped estimate determined under § 6–104(e) of this article shall be applied to close the gap in revenues for that fiscal year.

(B–1) AT THE END OF FISCAL YEAR 2020 ONLY, IF THE AMOUNT OF NONWITHHOLDING INCOME TAX REVENUES THAT EXCEEDS THE CAPPED ESTIMATE DETERMINED UNDER § 6–104(E) OF THIS ARTICLE EXCEEDS THE AMOUNT NECESSARY TO CLOSE THE GAP IN REVENUES UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE STATE COMPTROLLER SHALL DISTRIBUTE THE REMAINDER TO THE FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 7–330 OF THIS SUBTITLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING A ONE–TIME BONUS IN FISCAL YEAR 2021 FOR PERMANENT EMPLOYEES IN THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL, AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT WHO ARE NOT:

(1) IN A BARGAINING UNIT THAT HAS AGREED TO AND RATIFIED THE ECONOMIC TERMS OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020; OR

(2) (I) ELECTED TO A POSITION BY POPULAR VOTE;

(II) IN A POSITION BY ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT THAT IS PROVIDED FOR BY THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION; OR

(III) IN THE EXECUTIVE PAY PLAN.

(c) **[If] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B-1) OF THIS SECTION, IF the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceeds the capped estimate determined under § 6-104(e) of this article exceeds the amount necessary to close the gap in revenues under subsection (b) of this section, and if the balance of the Revenue Stabilization Account under § 7-311 of this subtitle is less than 6% of the estimated General Fund revenues for that fiscal year, the State Comptroller shall distribute to the Revenue Stabilization Account the lesser of:**

(1) the remaining balance of nonwithholding income tax revenues in excess of the capped estimate determined under § 6-104(e) of this article; or

(2) the amount required for the Revenue Stabilization Account balance to equal 6% of the estimated General Fund revenues for that fiscal year.

(d) **[If] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B-1) OF THIS SECTION, IF the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceeds the capped estimate determined under § 6-104(e) of this article exceeds the amount the State Comptroller is required to distribute to the Revenue Stabilization Account under subsection (c) of this section, the State Comptroller shall distribute:**

(1) subject to subsection (e) of this section, 50% of the remaining amount to the Revenue Stabilization Account; and

(2) the remainder to the Fiscal Responsibility Fund established under § 7-330 of this subtitle.

(e) The distribution to the Revenue Stabilization Account under subsection (d)(1) of this section does not apply if the amount in the Revenue Stabilization Account exceeds 10% of General Fund revenues.

7-330.

(b) There is a Fiscal Responsibility Fund.

(c) The purpose of the Fund is to retain the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues deposited to the Fund in accordance with § 7-329(d)(2) of this subtitle until the revenues are appropriated in the State budget.

(f) The Fund consists of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceed the capped estimate determined under § 6-104(e) of this article deposited into the Fund by the State Comptroller under § 7-329(d)(2) of this subtitle.

(g) **(1) [The] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE Fund may be used only to provide pay-as-you-go capital funds for:**

1 [(1)] (I) public school construction and public school capital improvement
2 projects, in accordance with Title 5, Subtitle 3 of the Education Article;

3 [(2)] (II) capital projects at public community colleges; and

4 [(3)] (III) capital projects at four-year public institutions of higher
5 education.

6 **(2) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021 ONLY, MONEY IN THE FUND SHALL BE**
7 **USED TO PROVIDE A ONE-TIME BONUS FOR PERMANENT EMPLOYEES IN THE**
8 **EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL, AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT WHO**
9 **ARE NOT:**

10 **(I) IN A BARGAINING UNIT THAT HAS AGREED TO AND RATIFIED**
11 **THE ECONOMIC TERMS OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR FISCAL YEAR**
12 **2020; OR**

13 **(II) 1. ELECTED TO A POSITION BY POPULAR VOTE;**
14 **2. IN A POSITION BY ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT THAT**
15 **IS PROVIDED FOR BY THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION; OR**

16 **3. IN THE EXECUTIVE PAY PLAN.**

17 **(j) (1) [The] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS**
18 **SUBSECTION, THE Governor shall include in the budget bill for the second following fiscal**
19 **year an appropriation equal to the amount in the Fund for pay-as-you-go capital projects.**

20 **(2) Money expended from the Fund for pay-as-you-go capital projects is**
21 **supplemental to and is not intended to take the place of funding that otherwise would be**
22 **appropriated for capital projects, including those funded with pay-as-you-go funds and**
23 **the proceeds from the sale of general obligation bonds.**

24 **(3) THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE BUDGET BILL**
25 **SUBMITTED AT THE 2021 SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AN APPROPRIATION**
26 **EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT DISTRIBUTED TO THE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH §**
27 **7-329(B-1) OF THIS SUBTITLE TO PROVIDE A ONE-TIME BONUS IN FISCAL YEAR**
28 **2021 FOR PERMANENT EMPLOYEES IN THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL, AND**
29 **LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT WHO ARE NOT:**

30 **(I) IN A BARGAINING UNIT THAT HAS AGREED TO AND RATIFIED**
31 **THE ECONOMIC TERMS OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR FISCAL YEAR**
32 **2020; OR**

33 **(II) 1. ELECTED TO A POSITION BY POPULAR VOTE;**

1 **2. IN A POSITION BY ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT THAT**
 2 **IS PROVIDED FOR BY THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION; OR**

3 **3. IN THE EXECUTIVE PAY PLAN.**

4 **Article – State Government**

5 9–1A–37.

6 [(c) (1) Subject to paragraphs (2) through (5) of this subsection, if a video
 7 lottery operation license is awarded to a video lottery facility in Prince George’s County,
 8 the Commission may increase for a video lottery facility located in:

9 (i) Anne Arundel County, by not more than 2% of the proceeds from
 10 video lottery terminals at the video lottery facility, the percentage under § 9–1A–27(a)(8)
 11 of this subtitle; and

12 (ii) Baltimore City, by not more than 3% of the proceeds from video
 13 lottery terminals at the video lottery facility, the percentage under § 9–1A–27(a)(8) of this
 14 subtitle.

15 (2) If the Commission increases the percentage of proceeds from video
 16 lottery terminals for the video lottery facility in Anne Arundel County under paragraph (1)
 17 of this subsection, the Commission shall increase the percentage of proceeds for the video
 18 lottery facility in Baltimore City by at least the same percentage point increase as for Anne
 19 Arundel County.

20 (3) (i) If a video lottery operation license is awarded to a video lottery
 21 facility in Prince George’s County, the Commission may increase for a video lottery facility
 22 in Cecil County, by not more than 5% of the proceeds from video lottery terminals at the
 23 video lottery facility, the percentage under § 9–1A–27(a)(2) of this subtitle.

24 (ii) Any increased distribution of video lottery terminal proceeds
 25 under this paragraph for a video lottery facility in Cecil County shall be used for:

26 1. marketing, advertising, and promotional costs required
 27 under § 9–1A–23 of this subtitle; and

28 2. capital improvements at the video lottery facility.

29 (4) (i) On or before January 1, 2019, the Commission shall determine
 30 any adjustment authorized under paragraph (1) of this subsection to the percentage under
 31 § 9–1A–27(a)(8) of this subtitle or under paragraph (3) of this subsection.

32 (ii) Any adjustment authorized under this subsection may not take
 33 effect:

1 1. until a video lottery operation license is issued to a video
2 lottery facility in Prince George's County; and

3 2. earlier than July 1, 2019.

4 (5) Before the Commission may make a determination on any adjustment
5 under this subsection, the Commission shall report to the Governor and the General
6 Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of this article, on:

7 (i) the impact on existing facilities from a video lottery facility
8 located in Prince George's County;

9 (ii) unexpected monetary gains to licensees from factors including
10 the delayed opening of other facilities;

11 (iii) the monetary benefit to existing licensees from the removal of
12 statutory or regulatory restrictions on video lottery operations;

13 (iv) increased revenue to licensees from the authorization of table
14 games;

15 (v) the impact of any adjustments to the Education Trust Fund;

16 (vi) the tax implications, if any, and cost of the ownership of the video
17 lottery terminals by video lottery facilities; and

18 (vii) any other factors related to the gaming market in Maryland and
19 the ability of the State gaming program to compete with surrounding states.]

20 **Chapter 397 of the Acts of 2011, as amended by Chapter 425 of the Acts of 2013,**
21 **Chapter 464 of the Acts of 2014, Chapter 489 of the Acts of 2015, Chapter 23 of**
22 **the Acts of 2017, and Chapter 10 of the Acts of 2018**

23 SECTION 16. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, in addition to any other
24 revenue generated under § 19-214 of the Health – General Article, as amended by this Act:

25 (c) (1) For fiscal year 2015 and 2016, the Commission and the [Department of
26 Health and Mental Hygiene] **MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH** shall adopt policies
27 that will provide up to \$389,825,000 in special fund revenues from hospital assessment and
28 remittance revenue.

29 (2) For fiscal year 2017, the Governor shall reduce the budgeted Medicaid
30 Deficit Assessment by \$25,000,000 over the assessment level for the prior year.

31 (3) For fiscal year 2018, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be
32 \$364,825,000.

1 (4) For fiscal year 2019, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be
2 \$334,825,000.

3 (5) For fiscal year 2020, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be
4 ~~[\$294,825,000]~~ **\$314,825,000**.

5 (6) Beginning with the State budget submission for fiscal year 2021, the
6 Governor shall reduce the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment annually by \$25,000,000
7 over the assessment level for the prior fiscal year.

8 (7) To the extent that the Commission takes other actions that reduce
9 Medicaid costs, those savings shall also be used to reduce the budgeted Medicaid Deficit
10 Assessment.

11 (8) To the maximum extent possible, the Commission and the [Department
12 of Health and Mental Hygiene] **MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH** shall adopt
13 policies that preserve the State's Medicare waiver.

14 **Chapter 489 of the Acts of 2015, as amended by Chapter 321 of the Acts of 2016**

15 SECTION 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other
16 provision of law:

17 (c) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection **AND SUBJECT**
18 **TO SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION**, the remaining fund balance obtained from the
19 federal Medicare program or the Medicaid program may be used in fiscal years 2016
20 through 2019 to support integrated care networks designed to reduce health care
21 expenditures and improve outcomes for unmanaged high-needs Medicare patients and
22 patients dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare, consistent with the goals of Maryland's
23 all-payer model.

24 (2) \$90,000 of the remaining fund balance obtained from the federal
25 Medicare program or the Medicaid program may be used in fiscal years 2016 and 2017 to
26 support the remaining expenses of the Maryland Health Insurance Plan.

27 **(D) (1) AT THE END OF FISCAL YEAR 2019, THE FUND BALANCE**
28 **OBTAINED FROM THE FEDERAL MEDICARE PROGRAM OR THE MEDICAID PROGRAM**
29 **SHALL BE NOT LESS THAN \$10,000,000.**

30 **(2) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020, \$10,000,000 OF THE REMAINING FUND**
31 **BALANCE OBTAINED FROM THE FEDERAL MEDICARE PROGRAM OR THE MEDICAID**
32 **PROGRAM MAY BE USED BY THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FUND**
33 **PROVIDER REIMBURSEMENTS IN THE MEDICAID PROGRAM.**

1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended
2 appropriation for a utilization review audit contract in Community Services (M00M01.02)
3 within the Developmental Disabilities Administration in the Maryland Department of
4 Health, that was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating budget (Chapter 570 of the Acts
5 of 2018) is reduced by \$2,309,355 in federal funds and \$3,124,422 in general funds, which
6 shall revert to the General Fund.

7 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended
8 appropriation for a financial management services contract for self-directed services in
9 Community Services (M00M01.02) within the Developmental Disabilities Administration
10 in the Maryland Department of Health, that was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating
11 budget (Chapter 570 of the Acts of 2018) is reduced by \$602,758 in federal funds and
12 \$815,496 in general funds, which shall revert to the General Fund.

13 ~~SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended~~
14 ~~appropriation for residential per diems within the Department of Juvenile Services that~~
15 ~~was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating budget (Chapter 570 of the Acts of 2018)~~
16 ~~shall be reduced by \$4,000,000 in general funds.~~

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17 SECTION ~~5~~ 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended
18 appropriation for correctional officer positions within the Department of Public Safety and
19 Correctional Services that was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating budget (Chapter
20 570 of the Acts of 2018) shall be reduced by ~~\$15,000,000~~ \$7,500,000 in general funds.

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21 SECTION ~~6~~ 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended
22 appropriation in the Medicaid program that was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating
23 budget (Chapter 570 of the Acts of 2018) shall be reduced by \$25,000,000 in general funds.

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24 SECTION ~~7~~ 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other
25 provision of law, \$10,000,000 of the funds in the Economic Development Opportunities
26 Account under § 7-314 of the State Finance and Procurement Article shall revert to the
27 General Fund.

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28 SECTION ~~8~~ 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended
29 appropriation for the Teacher Induction, Retention, and Advancement Pilot Program under
30 § 6-117.1 of the Education Article that was included in the fiscal year 2019 operating
31 budget (Chapter 570 of the Acts of 2018) shall be reduced by \$2,000,000 in general funds,
32 which shall revert to the General Fund.

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33 SECTION ~~9~~ 8. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other
34 provision of law, for fiscal year 2020 only, \$2,000,000 from the Maryland Trauma Physician
35 Services Fund under § 19-130 of the Health – General Article may be used for Medicaid
36 provider reimbursements.

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37 SECTION 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Governor is authorized to
38 process a budget amendment to appropriate \$15,766,919 in additional Education Trust
39 Fund revenues received in fiscal year 2020 as a result of the repeal of § 9-1A-37(c) of the

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1 State Government Article as enacted by Section 1 of this Act. If Chapter (S.B.
2 1030/H.B. 1413) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2019 takes effect, the special funds
3 may be appropriated only to provide additional funding for students with disabilities as
4 specified in Section 5 of Chapter (S.B. 1030/H.B. 1413) of the Acts of the General
5 Assembly of 2019.

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6 SECTION 10. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding § 7–311(i)
7 of the State Finance and Procurement Article or any other provision of law, for fiscal year
8 2020 only, and only as provided in the fiscal year 2020 operating budget bill, funds may be
9 transferred by budget amendment from the Revenue Stabilization Account established
10 under § 7–311 of the State Finance and Procurement Article and funds may be transferred
11 by budget amendment from the Dedicated Purpose Account established under § 7–310 of
12 the State Finance and Procurement Article and may be used for fiscal year 2020 for
13 purposes as specified in the fiscal year 2020 operating budget bill.

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14 SECTION ~~10~~ 11. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
15 June 1, 2019.

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