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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Howard County Board of Education – Student Member – Voting**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the student member of the Howard County Board of
4 Education to vote on budgetary matters; and generally relating to the Howard
5 County Board of Education.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
7 Article – Education
8 Section 3–701(a)(1)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
12 Article – Education
13 Section 3–701(f)(7)
14 Annotated Code of Maryland
15 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

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

18 **Article – Education**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 3–701.

2 (a) (1) The Howard County Board consists of:

3 (i) Seven elected members; and

4 (ii) One student member.

5 (f) (7) The student member shall vote on all matters except those relating to:

6 (i) Geographical attendance areas under § 4–109 of this article;

7 (ii) Acquisition and disposition of real property and matters
8 pertaining to school construction under § 4–115 of this article;

9 (iii) Employment of architects under § 4–117 of this article;

10 (iv) Donations under § 4–118 of this article;

11 (v) Condemnation under § 4–119 of this article;

12 (vi) Consolidation of schools and transportation of students under §
13 4–120 of this article;

14 (vii) Appointment and salary of a county superintendent under §§
15 4–201 and 4–202 of this article;

16 (viii) Employee discipline and other appeals under § 4–205(c) of this
17 article;

18 (ix) [Budgetary matters under Title 5 of this article;

19 (x)] Appointment and promotion of staff under § 6–201 of this article;

20 [(xi)] **(X)** Discipline of certificated staff under § 6–202 of this article;

21 [(xii)] **(XI)** Collective bargaining for certificated employees under

1 Title 6, Subtitle 4 of this article;

2 [(xiii)] **(XII)** Collective bargaining for noncertificated employees under
3 Title 6, Subtitle 5 of this article; and

4 [(xiv)] **(XIII)** Student suspension and expulsion under § 7–305 of this
5 article.

6 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
7 1, 2022.