

6-403. EMPLOYEES MAY REFUSE TO JOIN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS.

A PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE MAY REFUSE TO JOIN OR PARTICIPATE IN THE ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77, §160(c).

The only changes are in style.

6-404. DESIGNATION OF EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE FOR EMPLOYEES; SPECIFIC UNITS.

(A) PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYER TO DESIGNATE EXCLUSIVE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION.

EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYER SHALL DESIGNATE, AS PROVIDED IN THIS SUBTITLE, WHICH EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION, IF ANY, SHALL BE THE EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES IN A SPECIFIED UNIT IN THE COUNTY.

(B) COMPOSITION OF UNIT.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYER SHALL DETERMINE THE COMPOSITION OF THE UNIT IN NEGOTIATION WITH ANY EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION THAT REQUESTS NEGOTIATION CONCERNING THE COMPOSITION OF THE UNIT.

(C) TWO UNIT LIMIT FOR EACH COUNTY.

THERE MAY NOT BE MORE THAN TWO UNITS IN A COUNTY.

(D) ALL EMPLOYEES TO BE INCLUDED IN UNITS.

ALL ELIGIBLE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES SHALL:

- (1) BE INCLUDED IN ONE OF THESE UNITS; AND
- (2) HAVE THE RIGHTS GRANTED IN THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77, §160(d).

In subsection (a) of this section, the present language that refers to the original designation of employee organizations before June 15, 1968 and June 15, 1969 is deleted as obsolete.

In subsection (d) of this section, the word "eligible" is added for clarity.

In this section, the present references to "Baltimore City" are deleted as unnecessary in light of the definition of "county" in §1-101 of this article.

The only other changes are in style.