

(5) Such other matters as the State Board or the local boards deem appropriate.

SECTION 2 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect ~~July 1, 1990~~ January 1, 1991.

Approved May 29, 1990.

CHAPTER 475

(Senate Bill 552)

AN ACT concerning

Public Schools – Physical Examinations and Hearing, Vision, and Scoliosis Screening Tests for Students

FOR the purpose of requiring each child entering the Maryland public school system to have a physical examination completed within a certain period and by certain persons; requiring the Department of Education in consultation with the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to adopt certain regulations related to certain physical examinations; requiring each public school to report to the county board of education or the county health department the number of children entering the public school system for the first time who have not had a physical examination due to certain circumstances; requiring the county board or the county health department to report certain information related to physical examinations to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; requiring the results of certain hearing, vision, and and vision screenings to be reported to county boards of education or to county health departments; requiring scoliosis screenings to be reported to the county health departments; specifying that county boards or county health departments shall ~~ascertain if certain services have been obtained, determine if certain additional services are needed, and~~ report certain information along with the results of hearing, vision, and scoliosis screenings and, with certain limitations, the number of students receiving certain services to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; providing a certain exception; and generally relating to the physical examinations and hearing, vision, and scoliosis screening tests required for certain students.

BY adding to

Article – Education

Section 7-401.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1989 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,