

BOARD OF TRUSTEES IS LESS THAN THE NUMBER OF ITS SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR SUCH COUNTY SHALL ELECT FROM ITS MEMBERSHIP THOSE WHO SHALL SERVE ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

(c) *The board of trustees of each regional community college shall annually elect a chairman from among its membership. AND SHALL SELECT SOME QUALIFIED PERSON OR PERSONS AS SECRETARY OF THE BOARD AND TREASURER OF THE BOARD.*

(d) *The county superintendent of schools (or, as to Baltimore City, the superintendent of public instruction) of each political subdivision within the region shall BE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS AND SHALL attend all meetings of the board of trustees of the regional community college BUT SHALL HAVE NO VOTE. and shall serve one year terms as secretary of the board and treasurer of the board on a rotating basis. The first such secretary and treasurer shall be determined by lot.*

(e) *Except to the extent that they are inconsistent with the provisions of this section, all other provisions of this sub-title shall apply to regional community colleges.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That Sections 301, 303, 304 (a), 304 (c), and 304 (d) of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1964 Supplement), title "Public Education", sub-title "Chapter 31. Community Colleges", be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:*

### 301.

For the purposes of this sub-title:

(a) A [a] community college is defined as an institution of higher education, offering at least one two-year program of post high school education and performing one or more of the following functions:

- (1) Offering terminal vocational, technical and semiprofessional programs;
- (2) Offering terminal nontechnical programs; or
- (3) Offering the equivalent of freshman and sophomore years of college work.

(b) *A regional community college is defined as a community college established for and supported by two or more counties or one or more counties and Baltimore City. "Community college", as used in this sub-title, shall be construed to include any regional community college, unless by context a contrary construction is clearly intended.*

### 303.

The mayor and city council of Baltimore and the county commissioners or county council of any county [in] for which a community college or regional community college is established by the board of education or board of school commissioners under this sub-title have the right and power to appropriate funds to meet the cost of establishment, current expenses, purchase of land, construction of capital improvements, and the maintenance thereof. In addition, the