

annual report containing the following information: (1) A statement showing the source, and application of all funds received and expended by it, and the balance remaining in each account; (2) a consolidated statement showing the operating results, receipts, expenditures, and balances, of the operations and activities conducted by the public schools of the counties. For the purpose of preparing such statement the separate schools of the county shall be required to follow a uniform method of reporting to be prescribed by the county superintendents of schools. All monies, including money derived from independent school activities in excess of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) shall be included in these reports.

It shall be the duty of the county superintendent of schools to have these two statements published at least twice in newspapers of the respective counties.

The county commissioners of each county may appoint an auditor of their own selection to audit the books and accounts of the county superintendents of schools and of the county boards of education of Allegany, Anne Arundel, Calvert, Garrett, Harford, Talbot and Montgomery counties, if they deem such audit necessary. Provided, that County Commissioners of Cecil County shall appoint an auditor of their own selection to annually audit the books and accounts of the superintendent of schools and of the County Board of Education of Cecil County. In Anne Arundel County, the fiscal year of the County Board of Education shall begin on July 1 of each year and end on June 30 of the following year.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1966.

Approved April 29, 1966.

CHAPTER 233

(Senate Bill 301)

AN ACT to add new Section 288A to Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education", to follow immediately after Section 288 thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Chapter 28A. Nursing Scholarships", authorizing the several counties of this State and Baltimore City to create and provide a system of nursing scholarships, and relating generally to the terms, conditions and procedures for such scholarships.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Section 288A be and it is hereby added to Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education", to follow immediately after Section 288 thereof, to be under the new subtitle "Chapter 28A. Nursing Scholarships", and to read as follows:

Chapter 28A. Nursing Scholarships

288A. *The board of county commissioners or county council of each county in this State and the Mayor and City Council of Balti-*