

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 7C 7 (C) and 12-IA of Article 77A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Higher Education," subtitles, respectively, "Community Colleges," and "State Colleges," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(c) *Payment of subdivision's share.*—In any political subdivision for which a community college or regional community college is operating under the provisions of this subtitle, the board of county commissioners, county council, or mayor and city council of Baltimore shall provide and pay to the community college, regional community college or colleges so operating not less than the political subdivisions' twenty-eight percent (28%) share of current expenses. The State Board for Community Colleges shall certify to the treasurer of each county or of Baltimore City as the case may be on or before the last day of both September and March in each year one half of the estimated annual amount which is due the local board of trustees of each community college, with full settlement at the end of the fiscal year based on the audit of the community college, and thereupon the treasurer within five days of each of these dates shall draw his warrant on the county or the City of Baltimore as the case may be and shall pay the amount due to the board of trustees of the community college, regional community college or colleges for his respective political subdivision. The counties comprising the region for and supporting a regional community college shall share in the payment of the political subdivisions' not less than twenty-eight percent (28%) share of current expenses on a pro rata basis determined by the ratio of the full-time student population in the regional community college, from each county, [to the full-time student population in the regional community college, from each county,] to the full-time student population in the regional community college from all the counties of the region. The State Board for Community Colleges shall determine the portions of the cost chargeable to each county, based on current enrollment figures, and shall certify such determination of cost of each participating county.

12-IA.

All auxiliary facilities constructed with funds provided by Sections 12A-12J, inclusive, of this subtitle shall be subject to the requirements of Section 21 of Article 78A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, as amended from time to time) requiring approval of plans and supervision of work on public improvements by the State Planning Department, Department of [Public Improvements] *General Services* and Board of Public Works.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1972.

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