

(1972 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 22(b) of Article 64A - Merit System, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 64A - Merit System

22.

(b) If the Secretary receives a requisition for the appointment of a person to a permanent position for which no eligible list exists he shall forthwith call an examination and he may if necessary to prevent the stoppage of public business, and not otherwise, certify a qualified person for temporary appointment, with or without examination, and such person shall be appointed by the appointing authority, provided, however, that such temporary appointment shall be pending the establishment of an eligible list only[.] [[; AND PROVIDED FURTHER THAT NO SUCH APPOINTMENT SHALL BE MADE FOR A PERIOD EXCEEDING SIX MONTHS]]. THE SECRETARY IS REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH AN ELIGIBLE LIST WITHIN SIX MONTHS FROM THE DATE A REQUISITION FOR SUCH A LIST IS RECEIVED. IN ANY CASE WHERE A TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT IS MADE PENDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ANY ELIGIBLE LIST THE EMPLOYEE SHALL CONTINUE IN A TEMPORARY STATUS UNTIL ANY ELIGIBLE LIST HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1974.

Approved May 31, 1974.

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CHAPTER 805

(House Bill 1397)

AN ACT concerning

Community and Regional Community Colleges

FOR the purpose of specifying certain budget requirements for community and regional community colleges, including certain major functions for which