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CHAPTER 147

(House Bill 26)

AN ACT concerning

Education - Annual Number of School Days

FOR the purpose of repealing the permission given to the State Board of Education in 1978 to reduce the minimum number of school days required for certain school years for the counties and Baltimore City under certain circumstances; repealing the elimination of the requirement to open schools on holidays under certain circumstances; presenting certain material for informational purposes; generally relating to the repeal of certain provisions of law concerning the authority of the State Board of Education; and making this Act an emergency measure.

BY repealing

Chapter 671 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1978

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Education  
Section 7-103(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1978 Volume and 1979 Supplement)

Preamble

In the 1978 Session, the laws relating to education were recodified as the new Education Article. This measure repealed or transferred all of the provisions of Article 77 of the Annotated Code as of July 1, 1978.

House Bill 1247 of 1978 (Chapter 671) proposed to change the laws relating to the authority of the State Board of Education to alter the minimum number of school days attendance required of students. The original bill, an emergency measure, proposed to amend both Article 77 and the new Education Article because the Education Article repealed or transferred the provisions of Article 77. By constructing the bill in this fashion, the time period from the effective date of the emergency measure to July 1, and then from July 1 on, was covered.

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