

SECTION ~~3~~ 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is contingent on the passage of Chapter ____ (S.B. ____/~~H.B. ____~~ H.B. 413)(6lr1010) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2006, a Constitutional Amendment, and its ratification by the voters of the State.

SECTION 4. 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, subject to the provisions of Section ~~3~~ 4 of this Act, this Act shall take effect on the date of certification of the election results on the question of ratification of the Constitutional Amendment by the voters of the State.

Enacted May 26, 2006.

CHAPTER 576

(House Bill 437)

AN ACT concerning

Somerset, Wicomico, and Worcester Counties - School Buses - Length of Operation - Sunset ~~Repeal~~ Extension

FOR the purpose of ~~repealing~~ extending the termination date for a provision of law that authorizes conventional school buses that meet certain criteria to be operated in Somerset, Wicomico, and Worcester counties for a certain length of time.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Education

Section 7-804(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Chapter 420 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2003

Section 2

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Education

7-804.

(b) (1) Except as provided in paragraphs (2) and (3) of this subsection, unless it fails to meet the applicable school bus and motor vehicle safety standards, a school vehicle may be operated for 12 years.

(2) (i) In Somerset, Wicomico, and Worcester counties, unless it fails to meet the applicable school bus and motor vehicle safety standards, a school vehicle may be operated for 15 years.