aid per full-time equivalent student in certain community colleges; increasing the amount of the flat annual grant and part-time student grant to certain community colleges; and limiting the employer social security contributions paid by the State for certain positions in community colleges; deleting an obsolete provision; and generally relating to State aid for community colleges.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education Section 16-403(c) Annotated Code of Maryland (1978 Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

## Article - Education

16-403.

- (c) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the State share is 50 percent of the current expenses of each community college, but not more than [\$878] \$912 \$999 \$910 per full-time equivalent student.
- [(2) The State share is 55 percent of the current expenses, but not more than \$1,384 per full-time equivalent student for:
- (i) Any community college with less than 500 full-time equivalent students if the county in which the community college is located has a population of less than 50,000; and
- (ii) Any regional community college if the counties that support the regional community college have a combined population of less than 150,000.]
- [(3)] (2) The EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (4) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE State share is 55 percent of the current expenses for Cecil Community College, Garrett Community College, Chesapeake College, and Wor-Wic Tech Community College, but not more than [\$1,619] \$1,724 \$1,720 per full-time equivalent student.
- [(4)] (3) Except for Cecil Community College, Garrett Community College, Chesapeake College, and Wor-Wic Tech Community College, the State shall grant to each board of trustees for community colleges in this State:
  - (i) A---flat AN ANNUAL grant of [\$200,000]