

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education  
Section 4-201(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1985 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

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

Article - Education

4-201.

(b) (1) ~~The EXCEPT-IN-HARFORD-COUNTY,--THE~~ The term of a county superintendent ~~-{is-}- MAY-BE-UP-TO~~ 4 years beginning on July 1. A county superintendent continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.

(2) By EXCEPT IN HARFORD COUNTY, BY February 1 of the year in which a term ends, the county superintendent shall notify the county board whether he is a candidate for reappointment.

(3) In the year in which a term begins, the county board shall appoint a county superintendent between February 1 and June 30. However, if the county board decides to reappoint the incumbent superintendent, the county board shall take final action at a public meeting no later than March 1 of that year.

(4) If a county board is unable to appoint a county superintendent by July 1 of a year in which a term begins, the provisions of subsection (d) of this section apply.

~~{5}-{I}--IN---HARFORD---COUNTY,---THE--TERM--OF--THE--COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT--SHALL--BE--NOT--LESS--THAN--2--YEARS--OR--MORE--THAN--4 YEARS--BEGINNING--ON--JULY--1.}~~

~~{5}--{II}--BY--JANUARY--1--OF--THE--YEAR--IN--WHICH--THE--TERM OF--THE--HARFORD--COUNTY--SUPERINTENDENT--ENDS,--THE--HARFORD--COUNTY BOARD--SHALL:~~

~~{I}--CONDUCT---AN---EVALUATION---OF--THE--COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S--PROFESSIONAL--PERFORMANCE,--AND~~

~~{II}--SHARE--THE--COUNTY--BOARD'S--FINDINGS--OF--THE COUNTY--BOARD--WITH--THE--COUNTY--SUPERINTENDENT.}~~

(5) (I) THIS PARAGRAPH APPLIES ONLY TO HARFORD COUNTY.

(II) BY JANUARY 1 OF THE YEAR THAT IS 2 YEARS BEFORE THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S TERM ENDS, AND BY JANUARY 1 OF