

**CHAPTER 646****(House Bill 597)**

AN ACT concerning

**Caroline County - Education - Budget - Program Implications**

FOR the purpose of requiring the Caroline County Board of Education to provide certain information about certain program implications with the annual budget when requested by the ~~County Administrator and the Caroline County Board of~~ County Commissioners; ~~requiring the Superintendent of Schools to submit certain information about certain program implications at a certain time when requested by the County Administrator or the County Commissioners; providing for the termination of this Act;~~ and generally relating to program implications of the education budget of Caroline County.

BY adding to

Article - Education

Section 5-101(g)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

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

**Article - Education**

5-101.

(G) IN ADDITION TO ALL OTHER INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION, THE CAROLINE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, ~~ON REQUEST OF THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS~~ UPON REQUEST BY THE CAROLINE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, SHALL PROVIDE WITH THE ANNUAL BUDGET THE PROGRAM IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REDUCTIONS TO OR INCREASES IN ITS ANNUAL BUDGET, AT WHATEVER DIFFERENT LEVELS OF FUNDING AND ACCOMPANIED BY WHATEVER REASONABLE SUPPORTING DETAIL AND ANALYSIS AS MAY BE SPECIFIED BY THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AND BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. ~~PRIOR TO THE SUBMISSION OF THE ANNUAL BUDGET, SIMILAR INFORMATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS UPON REQUEST BY THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR OR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1999. It shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of September 30, 2001, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved May 27, 1999.