

SECTION 2. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

Approved May 11, 2000.

CHAPTER 208

(Senate Bill 202)

AN ACT concerning

Procurement - Prevailing Wage - School Construction

FOR the purpose of repealing a certain limitation on the applicability of the Prevailing Wage Law to the construction of an elementary or secondary school; requiring that certain school contracts be awarded with consideration given to the bidder's plans for utilization of minority contractors; requiring that a certain questionnaire include certain information; and generally relating to the definitions of "public body" and "public work" under the Prevailing Wage Law.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - State Finance and Procurement
Section 17-201
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1995 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Education
Section 5-112(c)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1999 Replacement Volume)

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

Article - State Finance and Procurement

17-201.

- (a) In this subtitle, unless the context indicates otherwise, the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) "Apprentice" means an individual who:
 - (1) is at least 16 years old;
 - (2) has signed with an employer or employer's agent, an association of employers, an organization of employees, or a joint committee from both, an agreement including a statement of: