

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed to apply only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to any disposition made by a juvenile court on a petition regarding a child before the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2002.

Approved May 6, 2002.

CHAPTER 398

(House Bill 965)

AN ACT concerning

Morgan State University - Establishment and Funding of Distinguished Scholar Position

FOR the purpose of ~~establishing~~ authorizing the establishment of a certain distinguished scholar position at Morgan State University; requiring authorizing the President of Morgan State University to select a distinguished scholar for a certain term and establish certain salary and employment contract terms and conditions for the position; requiring the Governor to include funding for the position in the budget authorizing the use of certain moneys to fund the costs associated with a certain distinguished scholar position; establishing a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the establishment of a distinguished scholar position at Morgan State University.

BY adding to

Article - Education

Section 14-108

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

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

Article - Education

14-108.

(A) (1) ~~THERE IS~~ MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY MAY ESTABLISH A DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR POSITION AT MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY KNOWN AS THE CLARENCE W. BLOUNT CHAIR OF PUBLIC POLICY AND URBAN POLITICS.

(2) THE PURPOSE OF THE DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR POSITION IS TO TEACH, CONDUCT RESEARCH, AND PERFORM COMMUNITY SERVICE IN PUBLIC POLICY AND URBAN POLITICS AT MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY.