<u>defining a certain term;</u> and generally relating to the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education

Section 18-601

Annotated Code of Maryland

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

Article - Education

18-601.

- (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (2) "ACT OF TERRORISM" MEANS THE COMMISSION OR ATTEMPTED COMMISSION OF A CRIME INVOLVING AN ACT DANCEROUS TO HUMAN LIFE WITH THE INTENT TO:
 - (I) INTIMIDATE OR COERCE A CIVILIAN POPULATION:
- (II) INFLUENCE THE ACTIVITIES OR POLICY OF A UNIT OF COVERNMENT THROUGH INTIMIDATION OR COERCION; OR
- (III) AFFECT THE CONDUCT OF A UNIT OF COVERNMENT BY MASS DESTRUCTION, MURDER, ASSASSINATION, OR KIDNAPPING.
- £(2)] (3) "Disabled public safety employee" means a State or local public safety employee who sustains an injury in the line of duty that:
- (i) Precludes the individual from continuing to serve or be employed as a State or local public safety employee; and
- (ii) In the case of a volunteer member of a fire department or ambulance or rescue company or squad, precludes the member from continuing to be employed in the nonpublic safety occupation in which the member is engaged at the time of the injury.
 - $\{(3)\}$ "Surviving spouse" means a person who has not remarried.
 - $\{(4)\}$ "State or local public safety employee" means a person who is:
 - (i) A career or volunteer member of a:
 - 1. Fire department;
 - 2. Ambulance company or squad; or
 - 3. Rescue company or squad;
 - (ii) A law enforcement officer;