

Article – State Finance and Procurement
Section 11-203(a)(1)(xiii) and (xiv)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – State Finance and Procurement
Section 11-203(a)(1)(xv)
Annotated Code of Maryland
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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 64A – Merit System
Section 3(18) and (19)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 64A – Merit System
Section 3(20)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

Preamble

WHEREAS, It is the intent of the Administration and General Assembly to reaffirm the commitment to the provisions of Chapter 246 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1988 and the pursuit of educational excellence at all of Maryland's public colleges and universities; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of the Administration and General Assembly to ensure a stable and predictable level of support for St. Mary's College of Maryland, but at the same time ensure that the future percentage increases in the College's grant be no greater than the average General Fund percentage increase of Maryland's other colleges and universities, particularly those institutions in the University of Maryland System; and

WHEREAS, St. Mary's College of Maryland seeks to offer the combination of 2 ideals: the promise of public education, affordable to all and thriving on diversity, and high standards of academic excellence; and

WHEREAS, St. Mary's College of Maryland is committed to continuing its mission of providing an excellent education to qualified Maryland students, regardless of their ability to pay, through the use of scholarship endowments and such other methods determined by the College's Board of Trustees; and