

Chapter 399

(House Bill 1053)

AN ACT concerning

Operating Budget – Education Programs – Mandated Funding

FOR the purpose of requiring the Governor to include in the annual budget bill for a certain fiscal year an appropriation of at least a certain amount for certain education programs, plus a certain additional amount; and generally relating to mandated funding for education programs in the State budget.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That, for fiscal year 2023, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill an appropriation to each program under Funding for Educational Organizations (~~R00A03~~) = Other Institutions (R00A03.03) equal to the greater of the funding the program received in fiscal year ~~2021~~ or 2020, 2021, or 2022 and an additional \$150,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2021.

Enacted under Article II, § 17(c) of the Maryland Constitution, May 30, 2021.