

HOUSE BILL 1203

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By: **Delegates Miller, Griffith, McComas, T. Morgan, and Pippy**

Introduced and read first time: February 10, 2023

Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **County Boards of Education and Public Schools – Committees and Task Forces**
3 **– Open Meetings Act**

4 FOR the purpose of subjecting a committee or task force convened by a county board of
5 education or a public school to the Open Meetings Act if the committee or task force
6 will review or discuss certain topics; and generally relating to committees or task
7 forces convened by county boards of education and public schools.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – Education

10 Section 4–142 and 7–132

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2022 Replacement Volume)

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

Article – Education

16 **4–142.**

17 **A COMMITTEE OR TASK FORCE CONVENED BY A COUNTY BOARD IS SUBJECT**
18 **TO THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT UNDER TITLE 3 OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS**
19 **ARTICLE IF THE COMMITTEE OR TASK FORCE WILL REVIEW OR DISCUSS:**

20 **(1) CURRICULUM CONTENT;**

21 **(2) TEXTBOOKS OR OTHER COURSE MATERIALS;**

22 **(3) LIBRARY BOOKS; OR**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(4) SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS.**

2 **7-132.**

3 **A COMMITTEE OR TASK FORCE CONVENED BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL IS SUBJECT**
4 **TO THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT UNDER TITLE 3 OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS**
5 **ARTICLE IF THE COMMITTEE OR TASK FORCE WILL REVIEW OR DISCUSS:**

6 **(1) CURRICULUM CONTENT;**

7 **(2) TEXTBOOKS OR OTHER COURSE MATERIALS;**

8 **(3) LIBRARY BOOKS; OR**

9 **(4) SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS.**

10 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July**
11 **1, 2023.**