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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

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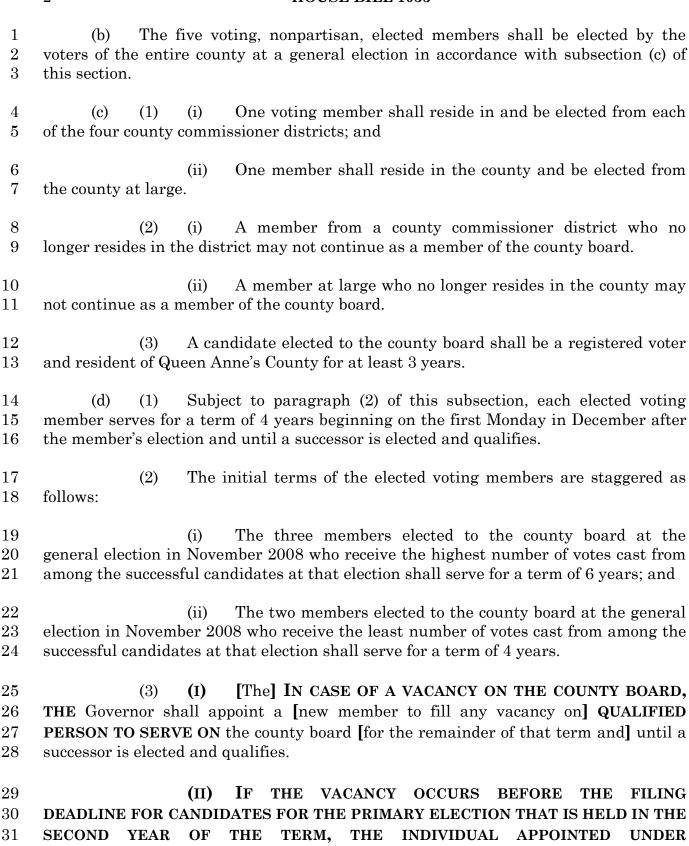
## Queen Anne's County Board of Education – Filling a Vacancy in Membership

- FOR the purpose of altering provisions of law concerning the filling of a vacancy on the Queen Anne's County Board of Education; providing for the holding of an election to fill a vacancy on the county board under certain circumstances; providing that a member appointed by the Governor to fill a vacancy on the county board serves only for a certain period; and generally relating to the filling of a vacancy on the Queen Anne's County Board of Education.
- 9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 10 Article Education
- 11 Section 3–10A–01
- 12 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 13 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)
- 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 16 Article Education
- 17 3–10A–01.
- 18 (a) The Queen Anne's County Board consists of:
- 19 (1) Five voting, nonpartisan, elected members; and
- 20 (2) One nonvoting student representative from each public high school 21 in the county.



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SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS

ELECTED AT THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION AND QUALIFIES.

1 2 3 4 5	(III) IF THE VACANCY OCCURS AFTER THE FILING DEADLINE FOR CANDIDATES FOR THE PRIMARY ELECTION THAT IS HELD IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE TERM, THE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL SERVE FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM OF THE VACATING MEMBER AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS ELECTED AT THE NEXT
6	GENERAL ELECTION AND QUALIFIES.
7 8 9	(e) (1) The nonvoting student members of the county board shall be elected from each of the public high schools in the county by their respective student bodies.
10	(2) Each student member shall:
11 12	(i) Be an eleventh or twelfth grade student in good standing in the Queen Anne's County public school system;
13 14	(ii) Be a student government association representative at the student's high school;
15 16	(iii) Serve for 1 year beginning on July 1 after the election of the member;
17	(iv) Be nonvoting; and
18 19	(v) Advise the county board on the thoughts and feelings of students in the Queen Anne's County public schools.
20 21 22	(3) Unless invited to attend by an affirmative vote of a majority of the county board, the student member may not attend an executive session of the county board.
23 24	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2014.