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By: Delegates Smith, Acevero, Bridges, Charles, Ivey, R. Lewis, Lierman, Mosby, Wells, and Williams

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A BILL ENTITLED

Public Schools – Fees for Summer School Courses – Prohibition FOR the purpose of prohibiting a local school system from charging a certain student a fee for enrollment in a summer school course under certain circumstances; and generally relating to fees charged by local school systems for summer school courses. BY adding to Article – Education Section 7–211 Annotated Code of Maryland (2018 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: Article – Education 7-211. A LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM MAY NOT CHARGE A STUDENT A FEE FOR ENROLLMENT IN A SUMMER SCHOOL COURSE IF: (1) THE STUDENT ATTENDS A SCHOOL IN THE LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM; (2) **CREDIT FOR THE COURSE IS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION FROM** A HIGH SCHOOL IN THE LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 (3) THE STUDENT PREVIOUSLY TOOK THE COURSE, BUT DID NOT 2 SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE OR RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THE COURSE.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 4 1, 2020.