

HOUSE BILL 812

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By: **Montgomery County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2022

Assigned to: Ways and Means

Committee Report: Favorable with amendments

House action: Adopted

Read second time: March 9, 2022

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Montgomery County – Board of Education – Data Disaggregation Policy and**
3 **Racial Disparity Comparisons**

4 **MC 24–22**

5 FOR the purpose of requiring the Montgomery County Board of Education to adopt a
6 certain data disaggregation policy; requiring the county board to include a certain
7 impact in any racial disparity comparisons completed by the county board; and
8 generally relating to Montgomery County Board of Education policies on data
9 disaggregation and racial disparity comparisons.

10 BY adding to
11 Article – Education
12 Section 4–141
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

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

17 **Article – Education**

18 **4–141.**

19 **(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY.**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



(B) THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL ADOPT A DATA DISAGGREGATION POLICY THAT:

(1) APPLIES TO ANY DATA COLLECTION, REPORTS, OR INTERNAL DOCUMENTATION BY THE COUNTY BOARD; AND

(2) INCLUDES A CATEGORY FOR EACH RACIAL AND ETHNIC GROUP THAT CONSTITUTES AT LEAST 5% OF THE STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM THAT IS SEPARATE FROM ANY OTHER CATEGORY, ~~INCLUDING THE WHITE CATEGORY.~~

(C) THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL INCLUDE THE IMPACT ON EACH RACIAL AND ETHNIC GROUP THAT CONSTITUTES AT LEAST 5% OF THE STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM IN ANY RACIAL DISPARITY COMPARISONS COMPLETED BY THE COUNTY BOARD.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.