

Washington College and Western Maryland College to which the Senatorial 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th Districts of Baltimore City and Allegany, Anne Arundel, Washington, St. Mary's, Calvert, Caroline, Carroll, [Harford,] Talbot, Frederick, Somerset, Charles, Worcester, Wicomico, Howard, Cecil, Garrett, Kent, Queen Anne's and Dorchester Counties are entitled under the preceding sections of this sub-title, or under any other provision of law, shall be awarded by the State Senator of the Legislative District and of Allegany, Anne Arundel, Washington, St. Mary's, Calvert, Caroline, Carroll, [Harford,] Talbot, Frederick, Somerset, Charles, Worcester, Wicomico, Howard, Cecil, Garrett, Kent, Queen Anne's and Dorchester Counties entitled thereto. The said scholarships shall be awarded only after competitive examinations supervised by the Board of School Commissioners of Baltimore City and the Boards of Education of the respective Counties but said examination questions shall be prepared and papers graded by the respective institutions, and from the list of successful applicants passing said examinations, the said list to be furnished to the respective Senators by the respective institutions with the grade of each applicant. Provided, however, that the said respective Senators, in making said appointments, shall take into consideration the financial condition of the parents or guardians of the several applicants, and no applicant whose parents or guardians are able to pay said tuition and/or board shall be appointed. All laws inconsistent with the provisions of this section are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

(c) *All such scholarships from Harford County shall be awarded by the Board of Education of Harford County after a competitive examination supervised and graded as provided hereinabove in this section, taking into consideration the financial condition of the parents or guardian of the applicant.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1955.

Approved March 24, 1955.

CHAPTER 93

(Senate Bill 143)

AN ACT to repeal Section 270 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Public Education", sub-title "Free Scholarships", sub-heading "Blue Ridge College", and to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 273 (a) of said Article and sub-title, sub-heading "How Awarded", removing from the laws concerning free scholarships the name of Blue Ridge College, the Charter of which has been annulled since 1943, and correcting an error therein.

WHEREAS, the Charter of Blue Ridge College was annulled by proclamation of the Governor of Maryland on October 25, 1943; and

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.