

as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year;

2. In fiscal year 2005, not less than an amount equal to 24% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year; and

3. In fiscal year 2006 and each fiscal year thereafter, not less than an amount equal to 25% of the State's General Fund [appropriation] AND HIGHER EDUCATION INVESTMENT FUND APPROPRIATIONS per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State, as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year.

(ii) For purposes of this subsection, the State's General Fund [appropriation] AND HIGHER EDUCATION INVESTMENT FUND APPROPRIATIONS per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State for the previous fiscal year shall reflect any amendments or reductions to the appropriation for the previous fiscal year.

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(a) (1) The total State operating fund per full-time equivalent student appropriated to Baltimore City Community College for each fiscal year as requested by the Governor shall be:

(i) In each of fiscal years 2003 and 2004, not less than an amount equal to 60.9% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year;

(ii) In fiscal year 2005, not less than an amount equal to 63.4% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year; and

(iii) In fiscal year 2006 and each fiscal year thereafter, not less than an amount equal to 66% of the State's General Fund [appropriation] AND HIGHER EDUCATION INVESTMENT FUND APPROPRIATIONS per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year.

(2) For purposes of this subsection, the State's General Fund [appropriation] AND HIGHER EDUCATION INVESTMENT FUND APPROPRIATIONS per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in