

SECTION 28. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Education

13-103.2.

(A) (1) THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE, AS PART OF ITS NORMAL BUDGET SUBMISSION TO THE GOVERNOR, SHALL PROVIDE A SEPARATE REQUEST FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS.

(2) THE REQUEST SHALL BE SUBMITTED AS RECOMMENDED FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS BY THE MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEMS.

(B) (1) FUNDING FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS SHALL BE FROM:

(I) THE SURCHARGE IMPOSED UNDER § 13-954 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE;

(II) GENERAL FUNDS; AND

(III) FUNDS FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE.

(2) FUNDS ALLOCATED TO THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS NOT EXPENDED AT THE END OF ANY FISCAL YEAR MAY NOT REVERT TO THE GENERAL FUND BUT SHALL REVERT TO THE MARYLAND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEM OPERATIONS FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 13-955 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE.

(C) (1) THE BUDGET OF THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

(2) THE BUDGET SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN OBJECT AND SUBOBJECT DETAIL WITH ADEQUATE JUSTIFICATION FOR EACH LINE ITEM.

(3) THE MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEMS:

(I) MAY ALLOCATE ALL FUNDS FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS IN A MANNER THAT MOST EFFECTIVELY MEETS THE NEEDS OF THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS; AND

(II) MAY NOT TRANSFER FUNDS TO RESTORE FUNDING CUTS IMPOSED ON THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.