- (i) the entry-age actuarial cost method; and
- (ii) actuarial assumptions adopted by the Board of Trustees.
- (3) For the purpose of making the determinations required under this section:
- (i) the Employees' Retirement System, the Employees' Pension System, the Correctional Officers' Retirement System, and the Legislative Pension Plan shall be considered together as one State system; and
- (ii) the Teachers' Retirement System and the Teachers' Pension System shall be considered together as one State system.
- (4) (I) SUBJECT TO § 21–309.1 OF THIS SUBTITLE, BEGINNING ON JULY 1, 2012 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, EACH LOCAL EMPLOYER SHALL PAY TO THE APPROPRIATE ACCUMULATION FUND AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE LOCAL SHARE OF THE TOTAL EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION FOR LOCAL EMPLOYEES AS PROVIDED IN THIS PARAGRAPH.

(II) FOR FISCAL YEARS 2013 THROUGH 2016, EACH LOCAL EMPLOYER SHALL PAY TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ITS LOCAL SHARE, WHICH SHALL BE EQUAL TO THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS:

	FISCAL	FISCAL	FISCAL	FISCAL
LOCAL	YEAR	YEAR	$\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{E}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{R}$	$\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{E}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{R}$
EMPLOYER	2013	$\boldsymbol{2014}$	$\boldsymbol{2015}$	2016
ALLEGANY	1,487,742	1,885,754	$2,\!412,\!465$	2,773,677
ANNE ARUNDEL	11,493,684	14,568,567	18,637,716	21,428,297
BALTIMORE CITY	12,922,862	16,380,092	20,955,217	24,092,793
BALTIMORE	15,755,802	19,970,922	25,549,002	29,374,395
CALVERT	2,835,938	3,594,631	4,598,648	5,287,193
CAROLINE	793,934	1,006,334	1,287,413	1,480,175
CARROLL	4,005,782	5,077,441	$6,\!495,\!621$	7,468,196
CECIL	2,459,819	3,117,889	3,988,747	4,585,973
CHARLES	3,936,516	4,989,645	6,383,304	7,339,061
DORCHESTER	656,543	832,186	1,064,625	1,224,028
FREDERICK	5,893,461	7,470,128	$9,\!556,\!610$	10,987,499
GARRETT	664,714	842,544	1,077,874	1,239,262
HARFORD	5,529,741	7,009,102	8,966,815	10,309,396
HOWARD	9,821,066	12,448,477	15,925,463	18,309,945
KENT	366,147	$464,\!102$	593,730	682,628
MONTGOMERY	$27,\!227,\!553$	34,511,689	44,151,153	50,761,802

PRINCE GEORGE'S	19,554,579	24,785,979	31,708,954	36,456,662
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,105,527	1,401,286	1,792,679	2,061,093
ST. MARY'S	2,485,697	3,150,691	4,030,711	4,634,220
SOMERSET	$480,\!124$	608,570	$778,\!550$	895,121
TALBOT	$628,\!456$	796,586	1,019,080	1,171,665
WASHINGTON	3,094,113	3,921,875	5,017,294	5,768,522
WICOMICO	2,173,593	$2,\!755,\!091$	3,524,616	4,052,348
WORCESTER	1,271,561	1,611,739	2,061,914	2,370,640

- (III) BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2017, EACH LOCAL EMPLOYER SHALL PAY TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ITS LOCAL SHARE EQUAL TO THE NORMAL CONTRIBUTION RATE FOR THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE TEACHERS' PENSION SYSTEM MULTIPLIED BY THE AGGREGATE ANNUAL EARNABLE COMPENSATION OF THE LOCAL EMPLOYEES OF THAT LOCAL EMPLOYER.
- (5) THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TOTAL EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION FOR LOCAL EMPLOYEES AND THE LOCAL SHARE OF THE TOTAL EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION FOR ALL LOCAL EMPLOYEES SHALL BE THE OBLIGATION OF THE STATE.
- (c) (1) As part of each actuarial valuation, the actuary shall determine the normal contributions, net of member contributions, on account of the State members of each State system.
- (2) For each State system, the normal contribution rate equals the fraction that has:
- (i) as its numerator, the sum of the normal contributions determined under this subsection; and
- (ii) as its denominator, the aggregate annual earnable compensation of the State members of the State system.

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- (a) (1) On or before December 1 of each year, the Board of Trustees shall:
- (i) certify to the Governor and the Secretary of Budget and Management the rates to be used to determine the amounts to be paid by the State to the accumulation fund of each of the several systems during the next fiscal year, INCLUDING A SEPARATE CERTIFICATION OF THE NORMAL CONTRIBUTION RATE FOR THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE TEACHERS' PENSION SYSTEM; and

- (iv) providing grants consistent with the purpose of Title 7 of the Health General Article, to enhance and provide services to individuals eligible for services from the Developmental Disabilities Administration; and
- (2) within the Office of Health Care Quality, providing funding, up to \$750,000, for activities directly related to providers licensed by the Developmental Disabilities Administration in lieu of increasing licensure fees for developmental disability providers.

SECTION 15. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Governor may transfer up to \$2,000,000 of the funds in the administrative expense account in the Strategic Energy Investment Fund established under § 9–20B–05 of the State Government Article to the Office of Home Energy Programs in the Department of Human Resources established under § 5–5A–02 of the Human Services Article to provide low–income energy assistance.

SECTION 16. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Governor may transfer \$4,500,000 from the Senior Prescription Drug Assistance Program account of the Maryland Health Insurance Plan Fund established under § 14–504(e) of the Insurance Article to the Medical Assistance Program established under Title 15, Subtitle 1 of the Health – General Article in fiscal year 2013.

SECTION 17. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

- (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, any money received by the State as a result of conditions of an approved merger between Exelon Corporation and Constellation Energy Group shall be expended only as authorized through an act of the General Assembly or specifically authorized in the State budget bill as enacted and is not subject to transfer by budget amendment.
- (b) For fiscal year 2013 only, money received by the State as a result of conditions of an approved merger between Exelon Corporation and Constellation Energy Group may be transferred by budget amendment if:
- (1) the budget amendment is subject to review by the Legislative Policy Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee; and
- (2) the Legislative Policy Committee, the House Appropriations Committee, and the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee have 45 days to review and comment on the proposed budget amendment.

SECTION 18. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That for fiscal years 2013 through 2016, in addition to the required maintenance of effort amount calculated

under § 5–202(d) of the Education Article, each county shall appropriate to the county board of education the following dollar amounts:

	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Year
County	2013	2014	2015	2016
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Allegany	1,487,742	1,885,754	1,847,253	2,202,813
Anne Arundel	11,493,684	14,568,567	15,930,477	18,693,986
Baltimore City	12,922,862	16,380,092	$14,\!824,\!485$	17,900,753
Baltimore	15,755,802	19,970,922	21,062,639	24,843,168
$\operatorname{Calvert}$	2,835,938	3,594,631	4,071,110	4,754,380
Caroline	793,934	1,006,334	991,831	1,181,637
Carroll	4,005,782	5,077,441	5,736,837	6,701,824
Cecil	2,459,819	3,117,889	3,352,878	3,943,745
Charles	3,936,516	4,989,645	5,642,346	6,590,694
Dorchester	656,543	832,186	775,810	932,325
Frederick	5,893,461	7,470,128	8,438,605	9,858,314
Garrett	664,714	842,544	796,082	954,652
Harford	5,529,741	7,009,102	7,475,675	8,803,344
Howard	9,821,066	12,448,477	14,909,225	17,283,545
Kent	366,147	464,102	445,130	532,542
Montgomery	27,227,553	34,511,689	37,809,551	44,356,785
Prince George's	19,554,579	24,785,979	24,951,664	29,631,799
Queen Anne's	1,105,527	1,401,286	1,497,849	1,763,314
St. Mary's	2,485,697	3,150,691	3,417,429	4,014,805
Somerset	480,124	608,570	495,932	609,676
Talbot	628,456	796,586	792,752	943,073
Washington	3,094,113	3,921,875	4,099,702	4,841,754
Wicomico	2,173,593	2,755,091	2,719,329	3,239,009
Worcester	1,271,561	1,611,739	1,647,903	1,952,488

SECTION 19. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That for fiscal year 2017, the maintenance of effort amount calculated under § 5–202(d) of the Education Article shall be based on the total per pupil appropriation for fiscal 2016 including the amount each county was required to appropriate to the county board of education in fiscal year 2016 under Section 18 of this Act.

SECTION 20. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding § 5–202(d) of the Education Article, for fiscal year 2013 only, the maintenance of effort calculation for Baltimore City shall exclude:

(1) a reduction in the cost of health benefits for retired employees of the Baltimore City Public School System if a similar reduction is made for all participants in the health benefits program for retired employees that is administered by Baltimore City and includes retired employees of both Baltimore City and the Baltimore City Public School System; and