

# EXHIBIT

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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### Immunizations (State Law)

- (a) Rules and regulations. -- (1) In cooperation with the State Board and the Medical and Surgical Faculty of Maryland, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall adopt rules and regulations regarding the immunizations required of children entering schools.
- (2) These rules and regulations shall:
- (i) Be adopted in compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act; and
  - (ii) Provide that any child may have the immunization administered by his personal physician.
- (b) Exception -- Unless the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene declares an emergency or an epidemic of disease, a child whose parent or guardian objects in writing to immunization on the ground that it conflicts with the tenets and practice of a recognized church or religious denomination of which he is an adherent or member may not be required to present a physician's certification of immunization to be admitted to school.

*The Annotated Code of the General Public Laws of Maryland, Education, Section 7-402*