







Progressive Maryland Education Fund

2008 Legislative Scorecard

Education Fund

 Senator Richard F. Colburn (R) District 37 Phone: 1-800-492-7122 ext. 3590	District Information District: 37 Area: Caroline, Dorchester, Talbot and Wicomico Counties Population: 118,193 Key: + Supports Progressive Position - Supports Special Interest Position A Abstain E Excused Absence R Recused from Voting N/A No Vote Taken	 Delegate Rudolph C. Cane (D) District 37A Phone: 1-800-492-7122 ext. 3427	 Delegate Adelaide C. Eckardt (R) District 37B Phone: 1-800-492-7122 ext. 3343	 Delegate Jeannie Haddaway (R) District 37B Phone: 1-800-492-7122 ext. 3429
ISSUES				
-	Progressive Income Tax Reform SB2 - passed	+	-	-
N/A	Clean Money Campaign Finance Reform SB593 - failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
-	Health Care Coverage Expansion SB6 - passed	E	-	-
-	Pay Equity HB1156 - passed	+	+	+
-	Flexible Leave Act HB40/SB344 - passed	+	-	-
+	Foreclosure Prevention HB360, 361, 363, 365 - all passed	+	+	+
+	Prince George's Hospital HB1039 - passed	+	+	+
N/A	Shift Breaks HB654 - failed	N/A	N/A	-
N/A	Responsible Contractors HB990 - failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
3 / 20	Leadership Score	10 / 20	3 / 20	3 / 20
20%	TOTAL SCORE	90%	29%	27%
About Progressive Maryland Education Fund PMEAF is a non-partisan 501(c)3 non-profit organization that monitors and reports on public policy issues of concern to working families in Maryland.	Legislative Scorecard The 2008 scorecard includes bills from both the 2007 special session (SB2 & SB6) and the 2008 regular session. Due to their importance, SB2 is triple-weighted and the next two issues are double-weighted. The leadership score accounts for 20 points of each lawmaker's final score. For more information about bills, visit the General Assembly website: www.mlis.state.md.us .	Leadership Scores This category scores lawmakers on the behind-the-scenes work in the General Assembly that is so crucial to a bill's success: whether a lawmaker works with progressive advocates to advance working-family legislation, lobbies colleagues in favor of these bills, speaks publicly in favor of them, etc.		