

In general, the Constitution and laws of Maryland provide for the election, duties and qualifications of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals. The control and government of his office are co-ordinate with the powers of the Judges of the Court of Appeals. Appointments of Deputy Clerks are made with the approval of the Judges. His certification of records, Acts of Assembly, documents, etc., are the joint action of the Court and Clerk; but in some matters the authentications of the Court, Clerk and Governor of Maryland are required. The routine work of the office is under the visitatorial powers of the Court, and the printing of records and briefs, at the option of parties, the care of papers, dockets, etc., are by the law and rules of Court under the control of the Clerk.

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### CIRCUIT COURTS

#### FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

Composed of the Counties of Worcester, Somerset, Dorchester and Wicomico.

Name.	Postoffice.	Term Expires.
Benjamin A. Johnson, Chief Judge.....	Salisbury .....	1949
James M. Crockett.....	Pocomoke City .....	1949
T. Sangston Insley.....	Cambridge .....	1949

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#### SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

Composed of the Counties of Caroline, Queen Anne's, Talbot, Kent and Cecil.

Name.	Postoffice.	Term Expires.
Wm. Mason Shehan, Chief Judge.....	Easton .....	1949
J. Owen Knotts.....	Denton .....	1949
Thomas J. Keating.....	Centreville .....	1938

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#### THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

Composed of the Counties of Baltimore and Harford.

Name.	Postoffice.	Term Expires.
T. Scott Offutt, Chief Judge.....	Towson .....	1936
Frank I. Duncan.....	Towson .....	1936
C. Gus Grason.....	Fowson .....	1941
Walter W. Preston.....	Bel Air .....	1936