

diate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a ye and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 2, 1947.

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CHAPTER 301.

(House Bill 326)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 4 of Article 32A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Department of Law", relating to the compensation of the Attorney General and his assistants.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 4 of Article 32A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Department of Law", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

4. The Attorney General shall receive such salary as shall be provided in the State Budget. He is authorized to appoint six assistants, one of whom he shall designate and who shall be known as Deputy Attorney General, two of whom shall be known as Assistant Attorneys General, one of whom shall be known as Special Assistant Attorney General for the Comptroller of the Treasury, one of whom shall be known as Special Assistant Attorney General of the State Roads Commission, and the other of whom shall be known as Special Attorney for the State Accident Fund. The Attorney General is also authorized to appoint such additional assistants, special attorneys and law clerks as may from time to time be authorized in the Budget. The Deputy Attorney General and all Assistant and Special Assistant Attorneys General and special attorneys shall be practicing lawyers of the State of Maryland in good standing, each of whom shall hold his respective office during the pleasure of the Attorney General and each of whom shall receive such salary as shall be provided in the State Budget. All of the salaries above provided shall be payable monthly. The salary of the Special Assistant Attorney General for the Comptroller of the Treasury shall be paid by the Comptroller of the Treasury, out of funds available to him for administration of the collection of taxes. The salary of