

Baltimore County, edition of 1929, title No. 49, "Police and Police Stations," (Flack's Code 1930, Article 3, Section 530), as repealed and re-enacted with amendments by Chapter 244, Acts 1931, so as to render the Assistant or Deputy Chief of Police eligible for retirement on pension.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 530 of the Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (as enacted by Section 438G, Chapter 164, Acts 1920), codified in Offutt's Revised Code of the Public Local Laws of Baltimore County, edition of 1929, title No. 49, "Police and Police Stations" (Flack's Code, 1930, Article 3, Section 530), as repealed and re-enacted, with amendments by Chapter 244, Acts 1931, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Section 530. The County Commissioners of Baltimore County are hereby authorized to retire from office in the Police Department of Baltimore County, any permanent member thereof, including the Chief and the Assistant or Deputy Chief of Police, who has become permanently disabled while in the active performance of duty or has performed faithful service in the department for a period of not less than twenty consecutive years, and place the member so retired upon a pension roll and allow to each pensioner annually an amount equal to one-half the yearly amount received by him at the time of his retirement, payable in monthly installments, that no member of the Police Department of Baltimore County shall be so retired until he shall have been examined by the Board of Examiners herein provided for and their findings as to the disability assigned as reason for a retirement shall have been certified by them to the County Commissioners of Baltimore County; and provided that the members in the service of the Police Department at the time of the passage of this Act shall be credited with the amount of time which they shall have served in said department to the same extent as though they had served such period in said department after the passage of this Act.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect on and after the first day of June, 1933.

Approved March 31, 1933.