### LAWS OF MARYLAND

#### CHAPTER 179

(House Bill 771)

## AN ACT concerning

# Allegany County - Sheriff - Salaries

FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Allegany County Sheriff; and providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent Sheriff.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 2-309(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1989 Replacement Volume)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

# Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

2-309.

- (b) (1) The Sheriff of Allegany County shall receive a salary of at least [\$25,000] \$35,000 \$32,000, the exact amount to be set by the County Commissioners from time to time.
- (2) The Sheriff shall appoint not less than five deputies at salaries of at least \$2,400 each who are under the county classified service; one of these deputies shall be assigned by the Sheriff to execute process, orders, and directions for the juvenile court, and to perform the other duties the Sheriff assigns.
- (3) A deputy sheriff is entitled to free meals while on duty in addition to the salary provided in this subsection.
- (4) If authorized by the County Commissioners, the Sheriff may employ a clerk-bookkeeper under the county classified service at a salary agreed upon by the Sheriff and the County Commissioners. The clerk-bookkeeper shall perform the duties assigned by the Sheriff, including the preparation of reports submitted by the Sheriff's office to the grand jury or the County Commissioners.
- (5) If the Sheriff of Allegany County approves after considering personnel needs, the County Commissioners may authorize a deputy sheriff to perform off-duty services for any person who agrees to pay a fee, including but not limited to, hourly rates for off-duty service, any necessary insurance to be determined by the Commissioners, including any fringe benefits and the reasonable rental cost of uniforms or other equipment used by any off-duty personnel.