

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.

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CHAPTER 136.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with Amendments, Sections 214 A and 214 Aa, Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Anne Arundel County," sub-title "Sheriff," as the same was repealed and re-enacted by Chapter 162, Acts of 1916, of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 214 A and 214 Aa of Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Anne Arundel County" sub-title "Sheriff" be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with Amendments so as to read as follows:

SEC. 214 A. The Sheriff of Anne Arundel County shall collect all fees and charges in civil and criminal cases to which his office may be entitled by law, and shall exercise all powers conferred upon him by law to enforce the collection of the same, and shall keep a systematic and complete record of all such cases and collections from the same; and shall at the first meeting of the County Commissioners held in each month make a full and detailed report of all fees charged for, and also all fees received, by him for the preceding month in all criminal cases; the said statements and reports to be under oath of the sheriff, and the said statements and reports to be accompanied by the sheriff's check for all of such fees in criminal cases, collected by him during the preceding month. That the said Sheriff may retain all civil fees collected by him. The amounts so charged for expenses of deputies shall be reasonable and shall not exceed a maximum schedule to be prescribed by the County Commissioners and filed with the sheriff. And whenever any sheriff shall retire from office, leaving uncollected any costs, fees or charges in civil and criminal cases lawfully payable to him or his office, it shall be the duty of his successor to collect and pay over the same in the manner above prescribed; and it shall be the duty of the sheriff to keep in his office, in proper books for the purpose, an official record of the fees and charges to be collected by him and those which have been so collected, which books shall remain in his office after the expiration of his term for the use of his successor.