SHALL EACH BE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY OF SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$6,000).

[(d)**]** (m) (l) The salaries of the Clerks of Courts shall be payable semi-monthly from the fees, receipts and emoluments of the office, after first deducting therefrom the necessary expenses of the office, including salaries of deputies and clerks, books, stationery, office supplies and other necessary and customary expenses of doing business. If there shall be any excess of the fees, receipts and emoluments of the office in any year, after deduction of expenses and salaries, including that of the Clerk, all such excess shall be paid to the Treasurer of the State. If the fees and receipts of the office shall be insufficient in any year to pay all or any part of the authorized salary of any Clerk, the deficiency shall be paid to the said Glerk by the Comptroller from funds provided for that purpose in the State budget.

The Clerks of Court of Baltimore City and of the several counties shall, respectively, devote their full working time to the duties of their office.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1950.

Approved March 28, 1950.

CHAPTER 65

(House Bill 4)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 770 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Department of Correction," providing for diminution of period of confinement of prisoners for satisfactory industry, application and progress in vocational and other educational and training courses.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 770 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punish-

EXPLANATION: Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

Strike-out indicates matter stricken out of bill.