

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 1 of Chapter 622 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1951 be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1. That in order to provide an incentive for the employees of the Chesapeake Bay Ferry System to remain in the employ of said system until the termination thereof and thereby insure the proper operation and maintenance of said system until the Chesapeake Bay Bridge is completed and opened to traffic, the State Roads Commission is hereby authorized to increase the salaries of all employees on said system during the last six months of service, and pay same from the revenues of said ferry system, in an amount equal to the schedule set forth below:

¶ To all employees who have been employed by said System for one year or more but less than ten years a sum equal to two months salary.

To all employees who have been employed by said System for ten years or more but less than fifteen years a sum equal to three months salary.

To all employees who have been employed by said System for fifteen years or more but less than twenty years a sum equal to four months salary.

To all employees who have been employed by said System for twenty years or more but less than thirty years a sum equal to five months salary.

To all employees who have been employed by said System for thirty years or more a sum equal to six months salary. ¶

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 12 months but less than 15 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 5 weeks salary.*

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 15 months but less than 21 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 6 weeks salary.*

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 21 months but less than 27 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 7 weeks salary.*

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 27 months but less than 33 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 8 weeks salary.*

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 33 months but less than 39 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 9 weeks salary.*

*To all employees who have been employed by said System for 39 months but less than 45 months, a sum equal to NOT TO EXCEED 10 weeks salary.*