

## CHAPTER 489

(House Bill 273)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 24(a) of Article 17 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Clerks of Courts," sub-title "General Duties of Clerks," raising the maximum annual salary of the Clerk of the Criminal Court of Baltimore City and of each of the Law and Equity Courts of Baltimore City from Seventy-five Hundred (\$7,500) to ~~Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000)~~ NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$9,000).

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 24(a) of Article 17 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Clerks of Courts," sub-title "General Duties of Clerks," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

24.

(a) The Clerk of the Criminal Court of Baltimore City and of each of the Law and Equity Courts of Baltimore City *shall be entitled to receive annually a salary of not less than Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600.) nor more than ~~Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.)~~* NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$9,000), and the Clerks of the Circuit Courts of Calvert, Frederick and Montgomery Counties, shall be entitled to receive annually a salary of not less than Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600.00) nor more than Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500.000), to be fixed and determined in the case of each clerkship by the Board of Public Works, and each Clerk shall be entitled to the salary so fixed and no more.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1953, and nothing in this Act shall be construed to affect the salary of the present incumbents of said offices during the term for which they have been elected.

Approved April 11, 1953.

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.