

title "Sheriffs", sub-title "Compensation and Duties", relating to the salary and expenses of the Sheriff of Howard County and the appointment, salary and expenses of a Deputy Sheriff.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 38(m) of Article 87 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Sheriffs", sub-title "Compensation and Duties", be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, to read as follows:*

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(m) The Sheriff of Howard County shall receive an annual salary of ~~[\$3,000]~~ *\$4,500*. He shall appoint ~~[a chief deputy who shall receive an annual salary of \$2,000, and]~~ a deputy who shall receive an annual salary of ~~[\$1,600.]~~ *\$3,500 and shall hold office at the pleasure of the sheriff and shall be removed at any time the sheriff may elect, or by the Circuit Court for Howard County upon indictment and conviction as provided by law. The [deputies] sheriff and deputy sheriff shall each provide their own automobiles [.] in performing their duties, and shall maintain said automobiles without cost to the county, provided, however, that the County Commissioners may prescribe and provide for the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the sheriff and deputy sheriff when performing duties outside of the county. [He]* The Sheriff may also appoint temporarily such additional deputy sheriffs as he may deem necessary for the public safety and the County Commissioners shall allow reasonable compensation for same, but such deputies shall not serve longer than the case actually warrants.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act shall affect, in any manner, the sheriff or deputy sheriffs of Howard County during the present term of the incumbent sheriff.*

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1957.*

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 696

(House Bill 810)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 11 and 12 of Article 64A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Merit System", providing that it shall no longer be necessary for any person who has a minor physical defect or impairment or who is above the age ordinarily prescribed for any particular position to waive any benefit or right to a pension under any State Retirement System and/or any disability benefits during or on account of such employment.

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.