

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sub-section (e-a) of Section 40 of Article 10 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Cumulative Supplement), title "Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact", sub-title "State's Attorney", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

40.

(e-a). Howard County.—The State's attorney of Howard County shall receive an annual salary of ~~[\$2,600.00]~~ *\$4,000.00*. The State's attorney may appoint an assistant State's attorney who shall serve at the pleasure of the State's attorney at an annual compensation of ~~[\$1,200.00]~~ ~~\$2,400.00~~ *\$2,000.00*.

~~Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a ye and nay vote, supported by three fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.~~

SEC. 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT NOTHING IN THIS ACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO AFFECT OR CHANGE THE SALARY OF THE INCUMBENT STATE'S ATTORNEY DURING HIS PRESENT TERM.

SEC. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT JUNE 1, 1957.

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 564

(House Bill 329)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 405 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishment", sub-title "Larceny", providing for both fine and imprisonment where there has been a conviction of larceny.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 405 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishment", sub-title "Larceny", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

405. Every person convicted of the crime of larceny to the value of one hundred dollars or upwards, or ~~an~~ as accessory thereto before

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.