

tion), being Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Anne Arundel County", sub-title "Jurors", increasing the jury panel and providing for two petit juries.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 381 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Anne Arundel County (1947 Edition), being Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Anne Arundel County", sub-title "Jurors", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

381. (a) It shall be the duty of the Clerk to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County to make out and file with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, not less than twenty days before the third Monday of April in each and every year, a fair and complete list of all the male taxable residents of said county whose names appear on the tax books thereof, and who are not known to said clerk, or to the Commissioners to be under the age of twenty-five years, to which list, so to be made and filed, he shall append a certificate that said list is fully and fairly made; and for which said list he shall receive such compensation as the County Commissioners of said county shall deem right and proper, not exceeding fifty dollars for any one list so made out; and for failure to perform the duty hereby imposed, the said clerk shall forfeit and pay to the State a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, in the discretion of the Court, to be recovered by indictment as for a misdemeanor and shall thenceforth be ineligible of holding the position of clerk to said County Commissioners.

(b) It shall be the duty of the Judges or a Judge of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, not less than fifteen days before the commencement of each term of said court, at which jurors are required to attend, in the presence of such practicing members of the bar of said court as shall think proper to attend, notice of the time and place having been first given to said bar through the crier of said court, to proceed to select from the list last furnished by the Clerk to the County Commissioners as provided in this section, and from the poll books of the several election districts of said county, which shall have been returned and filed, in the clerk's office of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, after any general election that may have been held last before such section, a panel to consist of **[two hundred and forty]** *three hundred* names of citizens of said county, to be fairly and impartially selected, with special reference to the intelligence, sobriety and integrity of such persons and without the least reference to their political opinions, which said names shall be selected as to their respective numbers from the respective election districts of said county as follows: From the First Election District, **[thirty]** *thirty-five*; from the Second Election District, **[thirty]** *forty*; from the Third Election District, **[thirty-five]** *fifty*; from the Fourth Election District, **[thirty-five]** *fifty*; from the Fifth Election District, **[thirty-five]** *fifty*; from the Sixth Election District (Annapolis City), **[forty-five]** *forty*; and from the *Seventh and Eighth Election Districts a total of thirty-five*; and of the names of persons so elected, and the respective districts from which they have been selected a list shall be made and a certificate appended thereto by said judge or judges, certifying that the said list of names has been selected in conformity with and according to the spirit of this Section, and the said list and certificate shall be filed with the clerk