added to 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", to follow immediately after Section 233A thereof, having been added by Chapter 408 of 1951, and to be under the new sub-title "Classified Service", and to read as follows:

CLASSIFIED SERVICE

- 233B. It is the intention of this sub-title to create a classified system of employment for Anne Arundel County and to utilize the facilities of the State Commissioner of Personnel for economy of operation, to authorize the establishment of classification, salary schedules, and working conditions that are, insofar as applicable, the same as are provided for employees under the State merit system, to the end that competent persons shall be attracted to employment in the county government and that uniform working conditions and protected tenure during competent service will result in more efficient operation of the county's business.
- 233C. (a) A classified service in Anne Arundel County is created. All persons appointed by the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County or by the executive head of any department, institution, office or agency of said County on the effective date of this subtitle, shall belong to the Classified Service, except those expressly exempted herein.
- (b) The following persons shall be exempted from the Classified Service: Elected officials of the county, Attorney to the County Commissioners, Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission, Members of the Board of Zoning Appeals, Members of the Police Board, Members of the Sanitary Commission, EMPLOYEES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, EMPLOYEES OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE COUNTY MANAGER.

Any person appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of Maryland,

Persons appointed by and with the approval of the Judges of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County and the State's Attorney of Anne Arundel County.

- 233D. Unless the context otherwise requires, "County Commissioners" means and includes the offices and positions designated in Section 233C herein; "Classified Position" or "Position" means any office in the Classified Service; "Classified Service Employee" or "Employee" means a person who holds, under the terms of this sub-title, a position in the Classified Service, but shall not include a person employed by contract to render a temporary or special service for the county.
- 233E. The County Commissioners shall promptly after the effective date of this sub-title adopt rules and regulations governing the following subjects:
- (a) Standards and qualifications for each position within the Classified System and a classification title for each such position.
 - (b) Minimum and maximum salary schedules with provisions for