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(q) (2) The State's Attorney may appoint one deputy State's attorney and five assistant State's attorneys. The salary of the deputy State's attorney ['s salary is six thousand dollars (\$6,000)] shall be at such compensation, not exceeding seventy-eight hundred dollars (\$7,800) per annum, as the State's Attorney may deem proper, to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Commissioners [.]; [T] the salary of two of the assistant State's attorneys shall be at such compensation, not exceeding [forty-eight] sixty-six hundred dollars [(\$4,800)] (\$6,600) per annum each, as the State's Attorney may deem proper, to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Commissioners; and the salary of three of the assistant State's attorneys shall be at such compensation, not exceeding [Thirty-six] fifty-four hundred dollars [(\$3,600)] (\$5,400) per annum each, as the State's Attorney may deem proper, to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Commissioners.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 17, 1963.

CHAPTER 462

(House Bill 677)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 59 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Howard County (1957 Edition, being Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Howard County," subtitle "County Commissioners and County Collectors," relating to the County Attorney for Howard County, eliminating requirement to pay quarterly and deleting provision that such attorney shall act for Board of Supervisors of Election of Howard County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 59 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Howard County (1957 Edition, being Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Howard County," subtitle "County Commissioners and County Collectors," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

59.

The County Commissioners of Howard County are hereby authorized and directed to employ at such annual salary as they may set, payable quarterly, one attorney-at-law, to act for and represent as legal adviser, the Board of County Commissioners of Howard County, the County Treasurer and Collector of Howard County, the County Surveyor and Engineer of Howard County, the Board of Supervisors of Election of Howard County and the Board of License Commissioners of Howard County, in all matters of legal nature requiring the services of an attorney-at-law. The said attorney shall advise said Boards or individuals by his opinion in all legal matters referred