

Volume), title "Militia", sub-title "In General", to authorize the appointment of an assistant adjutant general for air in the State militia and to specify his tenure and his powers and duties.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 9 of Article 65 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Militia", sub-title "In General", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

9. The Adjutant General shall be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. He shall have a commissioned grade not above that of lieutenant general, and his salary shall be as stated in the annual budget. He may be appointed by the Governor as chief of staff of the Governor's staff.

The assistant adjutant general shall be appointed by the Governor and his term of office shall be at the pleasure of the Governor. He shall have a commissioned grade not above that of brigadier general, and his salary shall be as stated in the annual budget. He will perform such military duties as may be assigned him by the Governor or by the Adjutant General.

*An Assistant Adjutant General for Air shall be appointed by the Governor and his term of office shall be at the pleasure of the Governor. He shall have a commissioned grade not above that of Brigadier General. He will perform such military duties as may be assigned to him by the Governor or by the Adjutant General.*

The Governor may choose a staff consisting of the Adjutant General, and not more than twelve aides. The aides will be selected by the Governor from among the commissioned officers of the National Guard and naval militia. Each of them may receive an appointment as aide, which however, shall not add to the actual grade of the officer so appointed; nor shall such officer be relieved from duty with the organization to which he is assigned, except when actually on duty as aide under the orders of the Governor.

The appointment of a chief of staff and of aides shall be at the pleasure of the Governor.

**SEC. 2.** *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved March 11, 1965.

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CHAPTER 109  
(Senate Bill 277)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 10 (a) of Article 24 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Costs", to require that the clerk of the circuit court for Harford County not docket any suit or issue process thereon unless there is first deposited with him advanced costs in the amount of \$5.00, and relating generally to advanced costs in Harford County.