

within such county, city, town or other political subdivision, to the same extent as if such time had been specified in State law or ordinance; provided, however, that nothing in this section shall apply to the sale of alcoholic beverages in Anne Arundel [ , and Washington counties] *County*.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved May 4, 1965.

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## CHAPTER 808

(House Bill 653)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 299 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City," subtitle "Criers, Bailiffs, Watchmen and Stenographers," as last amended by Chapters 252 and 451 of the Acts of 1963; increasing the salaries and pensions of the court stenographers of the several courts of Baltimore City.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 299 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City," subtitle "Criers, Bailiffs, Watchmen and Stenographers," as last amended by Chapters 252 and 451 of the Acts of 1963; be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments to read as follows:

299.

The Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City are authorized and directed to appoint from time to time as many court stenographers as shall in their discretion be required for the services of the several courts of Baltimore City, and as may be provided for from time to time in the annual Ordinance of Estimates, who shall be sworn officers of the Court, and shall each be paid a salary of [Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000)] *Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000)* per annum when such stenographers shall be required to attend the courts regularly, or thirty dollars per diem for each day of actual employment when he shall be appointed to attend only when his services shall be specially required by the judges; the said salaries to be in like manner as the salaries of the other officers of the courts are now paid, as prescribed in Section 293. Every official court stenographer of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, including the stenographer assigned to the Grand Jury, who after having served twenty five preceding consecutive years, shall attain the age of sixty years while in office or have become physically or mentally incapacitated from performing the duties of court stenographer from ailments or accidents not resulting from any of his misconduct, shall be entitled to retirement with a salary of [ \$2,000.00 ] *\$4,000.00* per annum, payable as other official stenographers' salaries are now paid, provided that such