

The Sheriff and his deputies shall serve all process, both civil and criminal issued by the several trial magistrates and the Circuit Court of Dorchester County. *The County Commissioners may authorize the appointment of a jail matron.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That nothing in this Act shall be construed or applied to affect or change the salary of the Sheriff of Dorchester County who is in office on the effective date of this Act, for the remainder of the term in which he is then serving. This Act shall take effect only as to the term of the Sheriff of Dorchester County which begins next after the effective date of this Act.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved March 24, 1969.

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## CHAPTER 50

(House Bill 583)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 51(1) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "County Treasurers," to increase the salary of the county treasurer of Dorchester County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 51(1) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "County Treasurers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

51.

(1) The county treasurer of Dorchester County shall receive an annual salary of ~~[\$7,500.00.]~~ \$8,400.00.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That nothing in this Act shall be construed or applied to affect a change in the salary of the County Treasurer of Dorchester County who is in office on the effective date of this Act, for the remainder of the term in which he then is serving. This Act shall take effect only as to the term of the County Treasurer of Dorchester County which begins next after the effective date of this Act.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved March 24, 1969.