

109.

One constable at large may be appointed by the county commissioners of the several counties for each trial magistrate, and each of said constables at large shall receive, in lieu of fees in civil and criminal cases, an annual salary of \$600.00; but in Allegany County, the County Commissioners shall appoint **[two constables]** *one constable* at large for the two trial magistrates who sit for the trial of cases in the City of Cumberland; **[each of]** the said **[constables]** *constable* shall receive an annual salary of **[not less than three thousand dollars (\$3,000.)]** *four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$4,800)*; and such mileage as the County Commissioners shall allow, and the County Commissioners of Allegany County may increase the compensation of said **[constables]** *constable* or appoint additional constables at large for trial magistrates in said county and provide for the compensation of such constables either by the fees prescribed by law or by such annual salary in lieu of fees, as the County Commissioners in their discretion, may determine provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to the counties of Howard, Carroll, Frederick, Calvert and in Anne Arundel the County Commissioners shall provide the compensation for the constables of the People's Court as provided in the public local laws thereof.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1970.

Approved April 15, 1970

CHAPTER 142

(Senate Bill 829)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 51 (k) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Supplement), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "County Treasurers," to change the salary of the Treasurer of Harford County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 51 (k) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Supplement), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "County Treasurers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

51.

(k) Harford County.—The county treasurer of Harford County shall receive an annual salary of **[\$12,000.00]** *\$14,000.00* and this shall be his sole compensation for services performed by him of any character whatever, including the issuance of licenses. The treasurer shall appoint a deputy treasurer, who shall give such bond to the treasurer as the said treasurer may require, and shall receive an annual salary as such deputy treasurer, to be fixed by the treasurer and County Commissioners, payable in monthly installments.