

PROPERTY IN THE COUNTY IN AN AMOUNT SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES OF THE SHERIFF AND HIS DEPUTIES.

(R) PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY.

(1) THE SHERIFF OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY OF \$25,500, BE PROVIDED WITH AN AUTOMOBILE DURING HIS TERM AS SHERIFF FOR THE USE AND WORK OF HIS OFFICE, MAINTENANCE FOR THE AUTOMOBILE TO BE AT THE COST OF THE COUNTY, AND NOT MORE THAN \$1,000 PER YEAR FOR EXPENSES INCURRED IN PERFORMING HIS DUTIES, AN ACCOUNTING OF WHICH SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE COUNTY DIRECTOR OF FINANCE FOR APPROVAL.

(2) ALL FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING DEPUTY SHERIFFS, AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS OF ALL RANKS ASSIGNED TO THE SHERIFF IN THE BUDGET OF THE COUNTY, ARE SUBJECT TO THE COUNTY'S MERIT SYSTEM AS TO QUALIFICATIONS, COMPENSATION, AND OTHER REGULATIONS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TWO ASSISTANT SHERIFFS, WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE SHERIFF AND SERVE AT HIS PLEASURE. THE ASSISTANT SHERIFFS SHALL BE CONSIDERED LINE OFFICERS IF SO DESIGNATED BY THE SHERIFF. DEPUTY SHERIFFS AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS ON DUTY AS OF JUNE 1, 1967, ARE EMPLOYED UNDER THE COUNTY MERIT SYSTEM.

(3) ALL DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A MINIMUM OF 300 HOURS OF CLASSROOM TRAINING AT AN ACADEMY RECOGNIZED BY THE POLICE TRAINING COMMISSION WITHIN THE FIRST YEAR OF EMPLOYMENT.

(S) QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.

(1) THE SHERIFF OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY OF AT LEAST \$7,500. HE SHALL APPOINT A CHIEF DEPUTY, AT A SALARY OF AT LEAST \$4,500. THE SHERIFF MAY APPOINT THE NUMBER OF ASSISTANT DEPUTY SHERIFFS AS THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APPROVE, AT SALARIES OF AT LEAST \$4,200. THE COMMISSIONERS MAY APPOINT AN ASSISTANT DEPUTY SHERIFF, AT A SALARY OF AT LEAST \$4,200.

(2) THE SHERIFF SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL ALLOWANCE OF \$2,500 FOR THE SERVICES OF A COOK FOR THE COUNTY JAIL. THE SALARIES AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCES ARE IN LIEU OF ALL EXPENSES, FEES, COSTS, AND CHARGES, EXCEPT FOR THE BOARD AND KEEPING OF PRISONERS IN THE COUNTY JAIL AND OTHER NECESSARY OPERATING EXPENSES ALLOWED BY LAW OR PRACTICE, INCLUDING ALL EXPENSES FOR TRANSFERRING PERSONS TO AND FROM PENAL INSTITUTIONS,