

TRANSFERRING PRISONERS TO AND FROM PENAL INSTITUTIONS AND PLACES OF CONFINEMENT IN THE STATE UNDER THE SENTENCE OR ORDER OF ANY AUTHORITY. THE COUNTY COUNCIL SHALL NOT PAY THE SHERIFF ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR ANY SERVICE HE RENDERS IN DISCHARGING HIS OFFICIAL DUTIES. THE COUNTY COUNCIL IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY OTHER FEE OR COMPENSATION TO THE SHERIFF EXCEPT FOR THE BOARD AND KEEPING OF PRISONERS IN THE COUNTY JAIL.

(4) THE COUNTY COUNCIL SHALL LEVY EACH YEAR SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO PAY THE SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

(5) ALL DEPUTIES, EXCEPT THE CHIEF DEPUTY; CLERICAL ASSISTANT; MATRON; COOK AND OTHER EMPLOYEES EMPLOYED ARE SUBJECT TO THE "PERSONNEL PROVISIONS" OF THE CHARTER OF WICOMICO COUNTY AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PASSED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL PURSUANT THERETO. IF A DEPUTY SUBJECT TO THE PERSONNEL PROVISIONS IS PROMOTED TO CHIEF DEPUTY, THEN UPON HIS REMOVAL FROM THE OFFICE OF CHIEF DEPUTY FOR OTHER THAN CAUSE, HE SHALL REVERT TO A DEPUTY WITH THE SAME STATUS WHICH HE HAD PRIOR TO HIS APPOINTMENT AS CHIEF DEPUTY. A CHIEF DEPUTY WHO IS NOT A DEPUTY SUBJECT TO THE PERSONNEL PROVISIONS PRIOR TO HIS APPOINTMENT AS CHIEF DEPUTY, IF REMOVED FROM OFFICE FOR ANY REASON SHALL NOT AUTOMATICALLY REVERT TO A DEPUTY.

(Y) WORCESTER COUNTY.

(1) THE SHERIFF OF WORCESTER COUNTY SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY OF AT LEAST \$9,000 AND AN ADDITIONAL AMOUNT AS APPROVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. HE SHALL APPOINT AT LEAST FOUR DEPUTIES AT SALARIES OF AT LEAST \$6,500 EACH, A CLERK-TYPIST, AND ADDITIONAL DEPUTIES, CLERKS, COOKS AND JAILERS AT THE COMPENSATION SET BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

(2) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WORCESTER COUNTY SHALL PAY THE COST OF ALL NECESSARY EXPENSES FOR THE OPERATION OF THE WORCESTER COUNTY JAIL, THE SHERIFF AND HIS STAFF, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, FIVE AUTOMOBILES, AUTOMOBILE OPERATING EXPENSES, RADIO EQUIPMENT, WEAPONS, AMMUNITIONS, OFFICE SUPPLIES, OFFICE EQUIPMENT, UNIFORMS, AND ALL TRAVELING EXPENSES OF THE SHERIFF AND HIS STAFF WHILE OUT OF THE COUNTY ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

(Z) DEPUTY SHERIFFS.