as follows:

Article 31B - Defective Delinquents

2.

(a) The director is the chief administrative officer of the Patuxent Institution, and shall be a trained, able and competent ADMINISTRATOR [psychiatrist with at least five years' experience in the practice or teaching of psychiatry]. The director holding office at the time of the passage of this section shall continue to hold office at the pleasure of the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services. Any successor as director shall be appointed by the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services from a list of three nominees proposed to the Secretary by a special committee composed of the professor of psychiatry at the Medical School of the University of Maryland, the professor of psychiatry of the Medical School of the Johns Hopkins University, the deputy secretary for correctional services, and the chairman of the board of Patuxent Institution. The Secretary may reject any list of three nominees and request another list. Three members of the special committee, in the absence of the full committee may act for the committee. The director shall receive a salary as fixed in the budget, which shall not be less than \$15,000 annually 1.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1976.

Approved May 4, 1976.

CHAPTER 325

(Senate Bill 780)

AN ACT concerning

Carroll County - Fireman

FOR the purpose of giving the sheriff in Carroll County authority to appoint deputies in any fire department in Carroll County to function as fire police in certain cases; generally relating to the fire police in Carroll County; and clarifying language.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 87 - Sheriffs Section 53(b) Annotated Code of Maryland