CHAPTER 67

(House Bill 18)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore County — Office of State's Attorney

FOR the purpose of authorizing appointment of <u>certain</u> assistant State's attorneys for Baltimore County under certain conditions; changing salaries for assistant State's attorneys and deputy State's attorneys; and clarifying language.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 10 — Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact
Section 40(d)(2) and (3)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 40(d)(2) and (3) of Article 10 — Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 10 — Attorneys at Law and
Attorneys in Fact

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(d)   (2)   The State's Attorney shall appoint two deputy State's attorneys, each to have an annual salary of [$27,500] NOT MORE THAN $30,000; one of these deputy State's attorneys shall be designated deputy State's attorney of trial and administration, and the other deputy State's attorney shall be designated deputy State's attorney of operations. The deputy State's attorneys are to perform such work as the State's Attorney may require, shall serve full time, and may not engage in the private practice of law.

(3)   The State's Attorney of Baltimore County may appoint [thirty (30)] ~~30~~ 33 assistant State's attorneys. [Of the additional four positions hereby created, two shall be assigned to the District Court for Baltimore County.] The salary of the assistant State's attorneys [shall be not less than $12,500 nor more than $18,000] MAY NOT BE MORE THAN $24,000 annually as the State's Attorney may determine. The State's Attorney may, however, designate [ten] 15 of the ~~30~~ 33 assistants as full-time assistant State's attorneys at a salary of not more than [$25,000] $27,000 annually. The [ten] 15 assistants designated as full-time assistant State's