

registration records at any time and to destroy the original records after they have been cancelled for a period of five years. The files and binders shall be retained in the office of the board for a period of five years, open to public inspection.]

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved March 31, 1977.

CHAPTER 81

(House Bill 735)

AN ACT concerning

Montgomery County - Deputy Sheriffs
MC 106-77

FOR the purpose of providing that the allowance to Montgomery County Deputy Sheriffs for expenses when their assignment requires the use of a motor vehicle for duty purposes shall be as set forth in the County budget; and allowing use of publicly owned vehicles as an alternative to reimbursement.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 2-309(q)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 2-309(q) of Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

2-309.

(q) (1) The Sheriff of Montgomery County shall receive a salary of \$25,000 per year, and the allowance for expenses the County Council provides in its annual budget. The County Council shall provide an automobile for the use of the Sheriff and his deputies for the general public work of the office and the expense of operating the automobile shall be paid by the county.