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CHAPTER 63

(House Bill 735)

AN ACT concerning

Dorchester County - Chief Deputy Sheriff

FOR the purpose of requiring the County Commissioners of Dorchester County to appoint a chief deputy sheriff if the sheriff becomes incapacitated and the position of chief deputy sheriff is vacant.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
Section 2-309(k)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1978 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

2-309.

(k) (1) The Sheriff of Dorchester County shall receive a salary of \$17,500, and be allowed the actual cost of the maintenance of automobiles and the county jail. He shall appoint a chief deputy sheriff, one assistant deputy sheriff, other deputies, and a jail matron if approved by County Commissioners. A deputy or matron shall receive the compensation provided in the county budget.

(2) IF THE SHERIFF BECOMES INCAPACITATED AND THE POSITION OF CHIEF DEPUTY IS VACANT, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL APPOINT A CHIEF DEPUTY SHERIFF.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1979.

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