

before any court of competent jurisdiction in this State, shall be fined not less than fifty dollars for any such offense.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved April 22, 1980.

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CHAPTER 161

(House Bill 471)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City - Sheriff's Office - Expenses

FOR the purpose of providing the sheriffs in the Baltimore City Sheriff's office with an expense allowance to procure or maintain certain items necessary to the execution of their duties.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
Section 2-309(d)(1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1979 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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.

(d) (1) In Baltimore City, the Sheriff shall receive a salary of \$25,000. He shall appoint an undersheriff and chief deputy sheriff, three supervisory deputy sheriffs, one deputy sheriff writ clerk and four assistant deputy sheriff writ clerks, one stenographer and docket clerk, two clerks and he may appoint a total of 61 deputy sheriffs. IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER COMPENSATION RECEIVED, EACH SHERIFF SHALL RECEIVE AN EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF \$100 ANNUALLY FOR: (I) AMMUNITION FOR PRACTICE SESSIONS AT THE RANGE; (II) CLOTHING ALLOWANCE TO DEFRAY THE COST OF DRY CLEANING AND MAINTAINING THE CLOTHING WORN WHILE ON DUTY; AND (III) THE PURCHASE AND MAINTENANCE OF OTHER ITEMS NECESSARY TO FULFILL THEIR DUTIES THAT CURRENTLY ARE NOT FURNISHED BY THE BALTIMORE CITY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. Salaries for these employees shall be set by the Secretary of Personnel. A deputy sheriff who