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CHAPTER 188

(House Bill 1008)

AN ACT concerning

Somerset County - Sheriff - Salary Increase

FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Sheriff of Somerset County; and providing that this Act does not affect the incumbent Sheriff of Somerset County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
Section 2-309(u)(1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1980 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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.

(u) (1) The Sheriff of Somerset County shall receive a salary of not less than [\$10,000] \$16,000 and no expense allowance. He shall appoint a chief deputy who shall receive a salary of not less than \$7,500. Subject to the approval of the County Commissioners, the Sheriff may appoint additional deputies at the compensation set by the County Commissioners prior to any appointment. The Sheriff or one of his deputies shall act as county jailer and shall receive annual total compensation of not less than \$6,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary of the Sheriff of Somerset County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary of the Sheriff of Somerset County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1981.

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