## CHAPTER 30

(Senate Bill 829)

AN ACT concerning

Charles County - Board of Public Safety

FOR the purpose of altering the method of appointing members of the Board of Public Safety of Charles County; altering the number of years each member serves; and clarifying language.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

The Public Local Laws of Charles County Section 378(c)(1) Article 9 - Public Local Laws of Maryland (1969 Edition and 1977 Supplement, as amended)

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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

## Article 9 - Charles County

378.

(c) (1) The Board of Public Safety is composed of three members, all of whom are residents of Charles County for two years prior to their membership. One of the members is one of the County Commissioners [of Charles County] appointed by the [Board] COUNTY COMMISSIONERS [,]; the second is appointed by the [Circuit Court Judge from Charles County] COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND MAY NOT BE AN ELECTED OFFICIAL; and the third is appointed by a majority of the representatives of Charles County to the State legislature. [If any names submitted are rejected, the County Commissioners shall submit additional lists of names.] The members of the Board shall serve for [six] 3 years, except that the member [from the Board of] WHO ALSO SERVES AS A County [Commissioners] COMMISSIONER shall serve from the time of his appointment until the following election for the [Board of] County Commissioners.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1981.

Approved April 14, 1981.