

Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact

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(s) (1) (i) In St. Mary's County the State's Attorney's salary is \$28,000 [per year] AND SHALL BE \$32,000 FOR THE YEAR 1983; \$33,000 FOR 1984; \$34,000 FOR 1985; AND \$35,000 FOR 1986.

(II) During his term of office, the State's Attorney may not [appear as counsel or represent any party professionally in a trial or hearing before any court, board, commission or agency of St. Mary's County or of this State sitting in or convened in St. Mary's County, except in connection with and in the performance of his duties as the State's Attorney] ENGAGE IN THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW IN ANY MATTER WHATSOEVER.

[(ii) The State's Attorney may engage in the private practice of law subject to the limitations in this subsection, and subject to the restriction that the State's Attorney may not be associated with any other attorneys in any partnership or professional association, but must be a sole practitioner. He may not engage in the private practice of law except as to:

1. Wills and estates.
2. Title work and settlements.
3. Civil domestic relations.
4. Civil matters before the federal

courts.]

[(iii) The State's Attorney may not appear professionally in any criminal proceeding in this State, except in connection with and in the performance of his duties as the State's Attorney.]

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

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CHAPTER 83

(House Bill 1749)

AN ACT concerning