

connected with his former term.] The persons elected to this office under the provisions of this section shall hold [it] OFFICE for four years from January 1 succeeding their election.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved April 13, 1982.

CHAPTER 82

(House Bill 1580)

AN ACT concerning

Carroll County - Sheriff - Salary

FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Sheriff of Carroll County; and specifying that the salary increase does not affect the incumbent.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 2-309(h)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

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

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

2-309.

(h) (1) The Sheriff of Carroll County shall receive a salary of [\$16,500] \$19,000. He may appoint the number of deputies necessary for the proper execution of the duties of his office, who shall receive the compensation set by the County Commissioners.

(2) Any deputy sheriff appointed pursuant to this section shall be placed on a probationary status for the first six months of his employment, and may be dismissed by the Sheriff for any reason. After six months of continuous employment, a deputy sheriff has tenure, and may be discharged by the sheriff only for malfeasance or