AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City - Sheriff - Salary

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

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 2-309(d)(1) 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.

(d) (1) In Baltimore City, the Sheriff shall receive a salary of [\$25,000] \$49,000 \$37,500. 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 uses his personal automobile is entitled to a monthly automobile allowance at the same rate paid to other State employees. Any sheriff who is assigned a city-owned automobile may not receive the monthly automobile expense allowance. They shall also have assistants at the compensation provided for in the annual ordinance of estimates of Baltimore City. Provision shall also be made in the ordinance for the expenses of the office of the Sheriff, including the purchase and maintenance of motor vehicles. The Mayor and City Council has the same power with respect to the salaries of the office of the Sheriff as it has under the city charter with respect to the salaries of all municipal departments. Employees of the Sheriff's office, except the Sheriff, shall be selected according to the provisions of § 9E of Article 64A of the Code.