

words "is entitled ... to" are substituted for the former words "shall receive", to reflect that an individual may decline a per diem or supplement. See, e.g., revised CJ § 8-430.

In the introductory language of subsection (a) of this section, reference to being "in ... proximity to" court is added for consistency to former CJ § 8-106(a) revised CJ § 8-425.

Also in the introductory language of subsection (a) of this section, the word "individual" and the phrase "for jury service" are substituted for the former word "juror", to clarify that prospective, qualified, and sworn jurors all are covered.

In the introductory language of subsection (b) of this section, reference to a "trial" juror is substituted for the former reference to a "juror called to serve as a petit juror", for brevity and conformity with the Council on Jury Use and Management's preference for language more understandable to the public.

Also in the introductory language of subsection (b) of this section, the former phrase "[o]n or after July 1, 2005" is deleted as unnecessary.

As to "county", see Art. 1, § 14 of the Code.

As to a county-employed juror accepting or retaining fees, see, e.g.: revised Public Local Laws, Art. 5 [Calvert County], § 86-4-501; Public Local Laws, Art. 7 [Carroll County], § 48-33A; Public Local Laws, Art. 8 [Cecil County], § A277-60B; Public Local Laws, Art. 9 [Charles County], § 197-12; Public Local Laws, Art. 13 [Harford County], § 38-38I(2); Howard County employment manual (2/1/05) at 111; and Public Local Laws, Art. 18 [Queen Anne's County], § 27-91F(1).

Defined terms: "Circuit court" § 1-101  
"Per diem" § 8-425

#### 8-427. LOCAL LEVY AND SUPPLEMENT.

##### (A) MINIMUM SUPPLEMENT.

(1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE GOVERNMENT OF EACH COUNTY MAY SET, BY ORDINANCE, AN AMOUNT TO SUPPLEMENT THE STATE PER DIEM AND, FOR EACH FISCAL YEAR.

(2) UNLESS, BY ORDINANCE, A COUNTY GOVERNMENT INCREASES OR DECREASES THE SUPPLEMENT, THE AMOUNT SHALL BE ENOUGH TO KEEP A TOTAL STATE PER DIEM AND COUNTY SUPPLEMENT EQUAL TO THE COUNTY PER DIEM AS OF JUNE 30, 2001.

##### (B) COUNTY BUDGET.