- (B) IN CONSULTATION WITH THE BOARD, THE SECRETARY SHALL ANNUALLY CALCULATE THE DIRECT AND INDIRECT COSTS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE BOARD.
- (C) BEGINNING ON JULY 1, 2008, THE BOARD SHALL ESTABLISH FEES BASED ON THE CALCULATIONS PROVIDED BY THE SECRETARY UNDER THIS SECTION.
- (D) EACH FEE ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD MAY NOT BE INCREASED ANNUALLY BY MORE THAN 12.5% OF THE EXISTING AND CORRESPONDING FEE OF THE BOARD.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the fees set forth in Title 2, Subtitles 2, 3, and 4 of the Business Occupations and Professions Article in effect on June 30, 2007, shall remain in full force and effect until the fees authorized to be set by the State Board of Public Accountancy in accordance with this Act are adopted and made effective.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

Approved April 25, 2006.

## **CHAPTER 157**

(House Bill 115)

AN ACT concerning

## Somerset County - Deputy Sheriffs - Conditions of Employment

FOR the purpose of specifying that deputy sheriffs of Somerset County serve under the direction of the Sheriff of Somerset County; requiring deputy sheriffs within a certain time after appointment to complete successfully a certain police training course; specifying that a deputy sheriff whose position is funded by the County Commissioners becomes a merit system employee under certain circumstances and may not be dismissed without cause; providing a certain exception; and generally relating to deputy sheriffs of Somerset County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 2-309(u)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2002 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: