

**House Bill No. 643**

AN ACT concerning

**Frederick County - County Commissioners - Salaries**

FOR the purpose of altering the salaries of the County Commissioners of Frederick County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salaries or compensation of the incumbent County Commissioners; making a stylistic change; and generally relating to the salaries of the County Commissioners of Frederick County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
The Public Local Laws of Frederick County  
Section 2-2-18  
Article 11 - Public Local Laws of Maryland  
(2004 Edition, as amended)

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

**Article 11 - Frederick County**

2-2-18.

(a) (1) Each member of the board of county commissioners is entitled to an annual salary of ~~[\$30,000]~~ \$45,000, as full compensation for services as a member of the board of county commissioners or as a member of any other county board or agency.

(2) In addition, each member of the board of county commissioners is entitled to reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of the member as may be provided in the annual county budget.

(b) Each member is entitled to those fringe benefits regularly provided to county employees.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, § 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the County Commissioners of Frederick County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the County Commissioners of Frederick County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2005.

May 20, 2005

The Honorable Michael E. Busch  
Speaker of the House