

BY repealing

Chapter 552 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1978
Section 3

BY adding to

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 7-204(p)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

Article 15 - Kent County

3-3.

[(a) The county Commissioners of Kent County shall appropriate the sum of \$2,500 annually for the support and maintenance of the Kent County Bar Library. In addition the commissioners shall appropriate a salary for the librarian of the Kent County Bar Library in the amount established in the Second Judicial Circuit order, relating to the appointment and compensation of the law librarian of the respective courts of the Second Judicial Circuit. The funds appropriated shall be administered by the Administrative Judge of the Circuit Court for Kent County.]

[(b)] The librarian shall serve at the pleasure of the Administrative Judge of the Circuit Court for Kent County.

Chapter 552 of the Acts of 1978

[SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the General Assembly declares that there is overriding state interest and concern in matters involving the State courts and the libraries of the State courts. This overriding interest and concern requires that the General Assembly regulate matters concerning the Bar Library in Kent County in spite of the fact that Kent County has adopted Code Home Rule Status.]

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

7-204.

(P) (1) IN KENT COUNTY, THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SHALL DEPOSIT ALL APPEARANCE FEES COLLECTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION INTO A SPECIAL ACCOUNT KNOWN AS THE "KENT COUNTY BAR LIBRARY" ACCOUNT.

(2) THESE FEES, TOGETHER WITH OTHER FUNDS, SHALL BE DISBURSED: