

CHAPTER 249

(Senate Bill 874)

AN ACT concerning

Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights

~~FOR--the--purpose--of--altering--the--definition--of--"law-enforcement officer"--in--the--Law-Enforcement-Officers'-Bill-of-Rights--to exclude--individuals--holding--the--rank--of--captain--or--higher, specifying--an--exception,--and--making--this--Act--an--emergency measure.~~

FOR the purpose of defining certain terms under the Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights; and making this Act an emergency measure.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 727
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 728 through 734D
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

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

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

727.

(a) As used in the subtitle, the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) "Law-enforcement officer" means any person who, in his official capacity, is authorized by law to make arrests and who is a member of one of the following law-enforcement agencies:

- (1) The Maryland State Police;
- (2) The Baltimore City police department;