(4) Terminated State service with 10 years of creditable service and within 5 years of normal retirement age.

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SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1986.

Approved April 29, 1986.

CHAPTER 219

(House Bill 710)

AN ACT concerning

St. Mary's County - Circuit Court - Appearance Fees

FOR the purpose of prohibiting the Clerk of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County from collecting appearance fees.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 7-204(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1984 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 7-204(t) Annotated Code of Maryland (1984 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)

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

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

7-204.

- (a) Except in the District Court and except as provided in this section, an attorney-at-law is entitled to demand and receive the following fees:
- (1) For bringing, prosecuting, or defending any action at law in a court of original jurisdiction -- \$5;