

WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Sheriff of Harford County to appoint as special deputy sheriffs who-are the chiefs of police of Harford County municipal police forces or members of the police forces of Harford County municipalities and who are certified by the Maryland Police Training Commission; specifying---coverage--of--employee--benefits; security;--and--liability--insurance;--and providing that certain special deputy sheriffs are not employees of Harford County; making this Act an emergency measure; and generally relating to the appointment of special deputy sheriffs by the Sheriff of Harford County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 2-309(n)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1984 Replacement Volume and 1986 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

2-309.

(n) (1) The Sheriff of Harford County shall receive a salary of \$35,000. He shall appoint the number of deputies at the compensation provided in the county budget.

(2) ~~(1)~~ THE SHERIFF MAY APPOINT AS A SPECIAL DEPUTY SHERIFFS-WHO-ARE-MEMBERS SHERIFF:

(I) THE CHIEF OF POLICE OF A HARFORD COUNTY MUNICIPALITY; OR

(II) A MEMBER OF THE POLICE FORCES FORCE OF A HARFORD COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES--AND MUNICIPALITY WHO ARE IS CERTIFIED BY THE MARYLAND POLICE TRAINING COMMISSION.

~~(1)~~ (3) A SPECIAL DEPUTY SHERIFF APPOINTED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION IS NOT AN EMPLOYEE OF HARFORD COUNTY FOR THE-PURPOSE-OF-EMPLOYMENT-SECURITY-OR-EMPLOYEE-BENEFITS.

~~(1)~~ --A-SPECIAL-DEPUTY-SHERIFF--IS--COVERED--BY COUNTY-LIABILITY-INSURANCE-WITHIN-ITS-TERMS-ONLY-WHEN-THE-SPECIAL DEPUTY--IS--ACTING--IN--THE--OFFICIAL--CAPACITY-OF-SPECIAL-DEPUTY SHERIFF.