

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, § 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salaries or compensation of the County Commissioners, the State's Attorney, the Sheriff, and judges of the Orphans' Court in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salaries or compensation of the County Commissioners, the State's Attorney, the Sheriff, and judges of the Orphans' Court 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 July 1, 1989.

Approved April 11, 1989.

CHAPTER 54

(House Bill 219)

AN ACT concerning

Military Department - Adjutant General and
Assistant Adjutants General

FOR the purpose of setting forth certain criteria that must be fulfilled before advancement to certain ranks in the Military Department is authorized.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 65 - Militia
Section 9
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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

Article 65 - Militia

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(a) The Adjutant General shall be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. He shall have a commissioned grade not above that of lieutenant general, and his salary shall be as stated in the annual budget. He may be