

(u) (1) (i) The Sheriff of Somerset County shall receive a salary of not less than [\$18,500] \$28,000 and no expense allowance.

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 salary or compensation of the Somerset County Sheriff in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the Somerset County Sheriff 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.

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CHAPTER 66

(House Bill 431)

AN ACT concerning

Wicomico County - Sheriff's Salary

FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Wicomico County sheriff; and providing that the salary increase does not affect the incumbent sheriff.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
Section 2-309(x)(1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1984 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 - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

2-309.

(x) (1) The Sheriff of Wicomico County shall receive a salary of [\$28,000] \$38,000. He shall appoint a chief deputy at a salary [of at least \$5,000 as] set by the Wicomico County Council, payable in equal monthly installments. His term of