

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

Approved May 19, 1989.

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CHAPTER 516

(House Bill 687)

AN ACT concerning

Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights - Election of Procedures

FOR the purpose of allowing a law enforcement agency and its exclusive collective bargaining representative to negotiate and agree on an alternative method of forming a hearing board; prohibiting certain provisions of this Act from being the subject of binding arbitration; requiring written notice to the law enforcement officer of the availability of the alternate method of forming a hearing board; allowing the law enforcement officer to choose whether or not to use the alternate method of forming a hearing board; providing that a decision by the hearing board is final under certain circumstances; and generally relating to the formation of a hearing board by a law enforcement agency and its exclusive collective bargaining representative.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments  
Section 727(d) and 731(d)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1987 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

Preamble

WHEREAS, It is the intent of the General Assembly that no provision of this Act be construed to create any right to collectively bargain in any municipal corporation, county, bicounty agency, or the State unless specifically provided for by a law, ordinance, or regulation of a municipal corporation, county, bicounty agency, or the State; now, therefore,

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.