

WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

2-309.

(g) The Sheriff of Caroline County shall receive a salary of [\$25,000] \$35,000 and an allowance for mileage in connection with his official duties and for boarding and keeping prisoners at the county jail. He shall appoint a deputy, at a salary of at least \$2,800, and a matron-cook for the county jail, at a salary of at least \$2,500. He may appoint additional deputies with the approval of the County Commissioners as to number and compensation; the County Commissioners of Caroline County may increase the salary of the Sheriff, his deputies, and other employees in accordance with Article III, § 35 of the Constitution.

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

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May 25, 1989

The Honorable R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr.  
Speaker of the House of Delegates  
State House  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 335.

This bill requires every motor vehicle insurer to include a minimum Personal Injury Protection (PIP) coverage in the insurance policy unless the first named insured waives in writing the option not to carry PIP benefits.

Senate Bill 170, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 25, 1989, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 335.