

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act does not affect a designation, change, or resignation of a resident agent or a change of address for a resident agent that may be on file with the Department of Assessments and Taxation on the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2001.

Approved May 18, 2000.

CHAPTER 609

(House Bill 490)

AN ACT concerning

Wicomico County - Appearance Fees - Court Library

FOR the purpose of altering provisions of law concerning the use of certain appearance fees ~~by the Wicomico County Court Library~~ collected by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County; requiring the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County to make a deposit of appearance fees not less than monthly; altering the title of a certain account for appearance fees; repealing provisions of law limiting the use of the account to purchasing and maintaining legal publications under certain circumstances; requiring that the account is for the general use of the library and for the maintenance and improvement of the court's facilities and equipment and that funds in the account be disbursed on approval of the County Administrative Judge; and generally relating to the use of appearance fees ~~by the Wicomico County Court Library~~ collected by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 7-204(v)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 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

7-204.

(v) (1) The Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County shall deposit NOT LESS THAN MONTHLY all appearance fees collected by the Clerk under this section into a special account TO BE known as ["Bar Library Account"] THE "COURT AND BAR LIBRARY ACCOUNT".