

county or of a municipal corporation may grant, by law, a property tax credit against the county or municipal corporation property tax imposed on a dwelling that is owned by a surviving spouse of a veteran if:

(1) the dwelling was owned by the veteran at the veteran's death;

(2) the dwelling was acquired by the surviving spouse within 2 years of the veteran's death, if the veteran or the surviving spouse was domiciled in the State as of the date of the veteran's death; or

(3) the dwelling was acquired after the surviving spouse qualified for a credit for a former dwelling under item (1) or (2) of this subsection, to the extent of the previous credit.

(c) A county or municipal corporation may provide, by law:

(1) that the amount of a property tax credit under this section shall equal the amount of an exemption under § 7-208 of this article for surviving spouses of disabled veterans;

(2) that the surviving spouse provide certification that the veteran died while in active service as a result of an injury or disease incurred in line of duty; and

(3) for any other provision necessary to carry out this section.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect ~~July 1, 2001, and shall be applicable to all taxable years beginning on or after July 1, 2002.~~ June 1, 2001 and shall be applicable to all taxable years beginning after June 30, 2001.

Approved May 15, 2001.

CHAPTER 532

(House Bill 1157)

AN ACT concerning

Prince George's County Court Security Officers - Collective Bargaining

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FOR the purpose of providing that County court security officers are subject to the Labor Code of Prince George's County and the County personnel law; and designating the employer of court security officers for purposes of collective bargaining.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 2-309(r)(6) and (7)

Annotated Code of Maryland