

not become effective, Section ~~3~~ 7 of this Act shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.

SECTION 4-~~9~~ 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in Section ~~3~~ 8 of this Act, this Act shall take effect October 1, 2002.

Approved April 25, 2002.

CHAPTER 214

(House Bill 222)

AN ACT concerning

Dorchester County - County Commissioners - Salaries and Compensation

FOR the purpose of increasing the salaries of the County Commissioners of Dorchester County; establishing a salary for the President of the County Commissioners of Dorchester County; authorizing County Commissioners and President of the County Commissioners to receive certain additional compensation; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent County Commissioners and President of the County Commissioners of Dorchester County; and generally relating to the salaries and compensation of the County Commissioners and President of the County Commissioners of Dorchester County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
The Public Local Laws of Dorchester County

Section 10-2

Article 10 - Public Local Laws of Maryland

(1984 Edition and July 2001 Supplement, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 10 - Dorchester County

10-2.

A. [The] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE annual salary of each County Commissioner shall be [twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.)] FOURTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$14,000). A County Commissioner may [not] receive [any] other compensation, [except] INCLUDING COMPENSATION for expenses actually incurred in the performance of the duties of office. Payment of these expenses shall be by voucher submitted by each County Commissioner.

B. THE ANNUAL SALARY OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL BE FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$15,000). THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY RECEIVE OTHER COMPENSATION, INCLUDING COMPENSATION FOR EXPENSES ACTUALLY INCURRED IN THE