

**CHAPTER 190**

**(Senate Bill 623)**

AN ACT concerning

**Carroll County - Orphans' Court Judges - Salary**

FOR the purpose of increasing the salaries of judges of the Orphans' Court for Carroll County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent judges; and generally relating to judges of the Orphans' Court for Carroll County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Estates and Trusts

Section 2-101

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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Article - Estates and Trusts

Section 2-108(h)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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

**Article - Estates and Trusts**

2-101.

In the estates of decedents law, the word court means the orphans' court in a county, or the court exercising the jurisdiction of the orphans' court in a county.

2-108.

(h) Each of the judges of the Court for Carroll County shall receive an annual compensation of [\$7,500] \$10,000 to be paid monthly. Each judge shall also be allowed \$200 annually for traveling expenses, payable quarterly.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Carroll County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Carroll 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 October 1, 1998.