

~~(III) The State's Attorney may not, except in connection with duties as State's Attorney, appear as counsel or represent any party professionally before any court, board, commission, or agency of this State or any county or political subdivision of this State.~~

~~(IV) The State's Attorney may not engage in the private practice of law but may participate in the pro bono program administered by the Prince George's County Bar Foundation.~~

~~(2) (I) The State's Attorney may appoint [two] THE NUMBER OF deputy State's Attorneys and [80] assistant State's Attorneys AS AUTHORIZED BY LAW BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL.~~

~~(II) The deputy State's Attorneys and assistant State's Attorneys serve at the pleasure of the State's Attorney.~~

~~(3) The annual salary of the deputy State's Attorneys shall be within the discretion of the State's Attorney, but may not exceed [\$115,000. The salaries are to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Executive and] A MAXIMUM SALARY AUTHORIZED BY LAW BY THE County Council.~~

~~(4) The annual salary of the assistant State's Attorneys shall be within the discretion of the State's Attorney, but may not exceed [\$107,000. The salaries are to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Executive and] A MAXIMUM SALARY AUTHORIZED BY LAW BY THE County Council.~~

~~(7) (I) The State's Attorney may appoint an administrative assistant to serve at the pleasure of the State's Attorney.~~

~~(II) The annual salary of the administrative assistant shall be within the discretion of the State's Attorney, but may not exceed [\$64,000. The salary is to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's Attorney to the County Executive and] A MAXIMUM SALARY AUTHORIZED BY LAW BY THE County Council.~~

~~(III) The administrative assistant is not subject to the rules and regulations of the county merit system, but shall be entitled to all benefits provided for county employees under the merit system.~~

Article - Criminal Procedure

15-417.

(a) This section applies only in Prince George's County.