Approved by the Governor, May 22, 2008.

## **CHAPTER 689**

(House Bill 1245)

AN ACT concerning

## Cecil County - Correctional Officers' Bill of Rights Act

FOR the purpose of providing for certain rights of a correctional officer in Cecil County relating to employment, investigation, and discipline under certain circumstances; providing for the procedures for the investigation or interrogation of a correctional officer; establishing procedures for an application for a show cause order under certain circumstances; establishing a certain limitation on administrative charges against a correctional officer in Cecil County; providing for procedures for a hearing board for an investigation against a correctional officer in Cecil County; providing for expungement of a record of a formal complaint against a correctional officer in Cecil County under certain circumstances; providing for certain disciplinary actions against a correctional officer in Cecil County under certain circumstances; providing that this Act supersedes inconsistent provisions of any other State or local law that conflicts with this Act to the extent of the conflict; providing for the effect of this Act in relation to the duties of a managing official; prohibiting certain false statements; establishing a criminal penalty for providing a false statement to certain persons; providing for the scope of this Act; defining certain terms; and generally relating to rights of a correctional officer in Cecil County.

## BY adding to

Article - Correctional Services

Section 11-1001 through 11-1014 to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 10. Correctional Officers' Bill of Rights"

Annotated Code of Maryland (1999 Volume and 2007 Supplement)

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

## Article - Correctional Services

SUBTITLE 10. CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' BILL OF RIGHTS.