
By: Prince George's County Delegation

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CHAPTER ____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Orphans' Court Judges - Salaries**

3 **PG 311-97**

4 FOR the purpose of increasing the salaries of judges of the orphans' court for Prince
5 George's County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary of incumbent
6 judges; and generally relating to judges of the orphans' court for Prince George's
7 County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
9 Article - Estates and Trusts
10 Section 2-101
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (1991 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

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14 Article - Estates and Trusts
15 Section 2-108(q)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (1991 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

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

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1 **Article - Estates and Trusts**

2 2-101.

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

5 2-108.

6 (q) The salary of each associate judge of the Court for Prince George's County
7 shall be [~~\$28,000~~] ~~\$34,000~~ \$31,500 per annum, and the salary of the Chief Judge shall be
8 [~~\$28,500~~] ~~\$34,500~~ \$32,000 per annum.

9 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III,
10 Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or
11 apply to the salary or compensation of the judges of the orphans' court for Prince
12 George's County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act
13 concerning the salary or compensation of the judges of the orphans' court for Prince
14 George's County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

15 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
16 October 1, 1997.