Chapter 223

(Senate Bill 304)

AN ACT concerning

Calvert County - Election Judges - Compensation

FOR the purpose of altering the compensation for chief election judges and election judges in Calvert County; providing that this Act does not apply to the compensation of incumbent chief election judges or election judges in Calvert County; and generally relating to compensation for chief election judges and election judges in Calvert County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Election Law

Section 10–205(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2010 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Election Law

Section 10-205(b)(4)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2010 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

Article - Election Law

10-205.

- (a) (1) A local board may fix the compensation of election judges within the limits authorized for this purpose by the county's governing body.
- (2) A local board shall pay an election judge for each election day and each early voting day that the election judge actually serves.
- (b) (4) In Calvert County, the compensation for each election day or early voting day actually served shall be:
 - (i) [\$125] **\$200** per day for each chief election judge; and
 - (ii) [\$100] **\$175** per day for every other election judge.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, § 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the compensation of the chief election judges and election judges in Calvert County during a term of office beginning before the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the compensation of the chief election judges and election judges in Calvert County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, subject to the provisions of Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall take effect October 1, 2013.

Approved by the Governor, May 2, 2013.