

# HOUSE BILL 485

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By: **Frederick County Delegation**

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Frederick County – Sheriff – Salary**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Sheriff of Frederick County; providing  
4 that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent  
5 Sheriff during a certain term of office; making stylistic changes; and generally  
6 relating to the salary of the Sheriff of Frederick County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
9 Section 2–309(l)(1)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2013 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

15 2–309.

16 (l) (1) **(I)** The Sheriff of Frederick County shall receive a salary of  
17 **[\$100,000] \$125,000.**

18 **(II)** The Sheriff shall appoint deputies as necessary, at salaries  
19 of at least \$2,400, and jail wardens as necessary, at salaries of at least \$1,320 each.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1                   **(III) 1.** The Sheriff also may appoint additional temporary  
2 deputy sheriffs as the Sheriff considers necessary for the public safety, with the  
3 approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

4                   **2.** The County Commissioners shall allow reasonable  
5 compensation for the temporary additional deputy sheriffs and the temporary deputies  
6 may not serve longer than the occasion requires.

7                   **(IV)** The Sheriff may appoint a chief deputy who shall serve at  
8 the pleasure of the Sheriff.

9                   SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, §  
10 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to  
11 the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Frederick County while serving in a term  
12 of office beginning before the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act  
13 concerning the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Frederick County shall take  
14 effect at the beginning of the next following term of office. This limitation does not  
15 apply to an individual appointed or elected after the effective date of this Act to fill out  
16 an unexpired term.

17                   SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
18 October 1, 2014.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.