

# HOUSE BILL 914

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By: **Charles County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 5, 2014

Assigned to: Judiciary

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Charles County – Orphans’ Court Judges – Salary**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the salary of each judge of the Orphans’ Court for Charles  
4 County; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the  
5 salary of a judge of the Orphans’ Court for Charles County.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
7 Article – Estates and Trusts  
8 Section 2–108(j)  
9 Annotated Code of Maryland  
10 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Estates and Trusts**

14 2–108.

15 (j) (1) The annual salary for each judge of the Court for Charles County is  
16 **[\$10,000]:**

17 **(I) \$10,500 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2015;**

18 **(II) \$11,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2016;**

19 **(III) \$11,500 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2017; AND**

20 **(IV) \$12,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018 AND EACH**  
21 **SUBSEQUENT CALENDAR YEAR.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1                   (2) Each judge is entitled to \$500 each year for travel expenses,  
2 payable quarterly.

3                   SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, §  
4 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to  
5 the salary or compensation of a judge of the Orphans' Court for Charles County while  
6 serving in a term of office beginning before the effective date of this Act, but the  
7 provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of a judge of the Orphans'  
8 Court for Charles County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term  
9 of office. This limitation does not apply to an individual appointed or elected after the  
10 effective date of this Act to fill out an unexpired term.

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