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§2–207.

- (a) (1) This section applies to each employee of a local board.
- (2) This section does not apply to:
 - (i) local board counsel; or
 - (ii) an election judge.
- (b) This section does not alter in any manner the method by which the salary of an employee of a local board is funded by the county in which the employee is employed.
- (c) (1) Except as provided in subsection (f) of this section, if the employees of a local board are covered by its county merit system:
 - (i) the employees shall be classified employees under the county merit system; and
 - (ii) the employees may be appointed and removed subject to the personnel regulations of the county in which the local board is located.
- (2) If the employees of a local board are not covered by its county merit system:
 - (i) the employees shall be in the skilled service or professional service of the State Personnel Management System;
 - (ii) appointment and removal of the employees shall be in accordance with the provisions of the State Personnel and Pensions Article that govern skilled service or professional service employees; and
 - (iii) notwithstanding § 4-201 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article, upon recommendation of the State Administrator, the State Board shall determine the fixed rate of compensation of the employees.
- (d) Each classified employee shall be a registered voter of the State.
- (e) An employee of a local board is subject to the restrictions and requirements of § 2–301 of this title.
- (f) The election director in Prince George’s County shall be in the exempt service under the Prince George’s County Personnel System.

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