Chapter 804

(House Bill 158)

AN ACT concerning

Anne Arundel County Board of Elections - Salary

FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the <u>regular</u> members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Elections; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Elections; and generally relating to the salary of the <u>regular</u> members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Elections.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Election Law Section 2–204(a)(2) Annotated Code of Maryland

(2017 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)

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

Article - Election Law

2-204.

- (a) Each regular member of a local board shall receive the salary and reimbursement of expenses provided in the county budget, but in no event may the annual compensation be less than the following amounts:
- (2) in Anne Arundel County, [\$2,400] **\$4,000 \$5,000 FOR THE PRESIDENT AND \$4,500 FOR OTHER REGULAR MEMBERS**;

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 salary or compensation of the members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Elections while serving in a term of office beginning before the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Elections shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office. This limitation does not apply to an individual appointed or elected after the effective date of this Act to fill out an unexpired term.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2018.

Enacted under Article II, § 17(c) of the Maryland Constitution, May 26, 2018.