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CHAPTER \_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Anne Arundel County - Sheriff - Part-time Deputies**

3 FOR the purpose of allowing the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County to appoint part-time  
4 deputies under certain circumstances; limiting the number of hours per week that a  
5 part-time deputy may work; allowing the Sheriff to establish the salary of a  
6 part-time deputy; providing that a part-time deputy is not eligible for certain  
7 benefits unless approved by the County Council; and generally relating to the  
8 appointment of part-time deputies in Anne Arundel County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
11 Section 2-309(c)  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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

16 **Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

17 2-309.

18 (c) (1) The Sheriff of Anne Arundel County shall receive a salary of:

19 (i) \$44,500 in calendar year 1995;

20 (ii) \$45,900 in calendar year 1996;

21 (iii) \$47,300 in calendar year 1997; and

22 (iv) \$48,700 in calendar year 1998 and thereafter.

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1                   (2) (i) The Sheriff of Anne Arundel County shall appoint deputies at a  
2 salary as provided by the County Council.

3                   (ii) The Sheriff may appoint a chief deputy who shall serve at the  
4 pleasure of the Sheriff.

5                   (3) Employees in the Sheriff's office shall be in the county merit system.

6                   (4) In case of emergency, the Sheriff may temporarily deputize any  
7 able-bodied citizen to assist him in carrying out the duties of his office.

8                   (5) The Sheriff and the deputies whose duties require the use of  
9 automobiles shall be furnished at no expense with suitable automobiles and any necessary  
10 maintenance, repairs or upkeep by the County Council.

11                  (6) (I) THE SHERIFF MAY APPOINT PART-TIME DEPUTIES AS  
12 PROVIDED IN THE COUNTY BUDGET.

13                   (II) A PART-TIME DEPUTY APPOINTED UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH  
14 MAY NOT WORK MORE THAN 24 HOURS PER WEEK.

15                   (III) THE SHERIFF MAY SET THE RATE OF PAY FOR A PART-TIME  
16 DEPUTY.

17                   (IV) A PART-TIME DEPUTY APPOINTED UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH IS  
18 NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ANY BENEFITS THAT ARE PROVIDED TO COUNTY EMPLOYEES,  
19 INCLUDING PENSION BENEFITS, UNLESS APPROVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

20                  SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
21 October 1, 1996.