

BY: Commerce and Government Matters Committee

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL NO. 815

(First Reading File Bill)

In line 4, after "Elections;" insert "providing for certain effective dates, subject to a certain contingency;"; after line 11, insert:

"BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code

Section 2-204(a)(22)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

(As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. 118/H.B. 127) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998);

after line 19, insert:

"SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

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:

(22) In Washington County, [\$2,300] \$2,600 for the President and [\$2,000] \$2,300 for other regular members;"

(Over)

in line 20, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; in line 27, strike “3.” and substitute “4.”; in the same line, after “That” insert “Sections 1 and 3 of”; and after line 28, insert:

“SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect January 1, 1999, contingent on the taking effect of Chapter ____ (S.B. 118/H.B. 127) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998. If Chapter ____ becomes effective, Section 1 of this Act shall be null and void. If Chapter ____ does not become effective, Section 1 of this Act shall remain in effect and Section 2 of this Act shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.”.