

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 1161 (Delegate Conway. *et al.*)

Judiciary

Wicomico County - Sheriff - Salary

This bill authorizes the County Council of Wicomico County to set the salary of the Wicomico County Sheriff prior to the start of the term of office. Currently, the salary of the sheriff is set by statute at \$58,000 a year.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: Indeterminate minimal effect on expenditures. No effect on revenues.

Local Effect: Wicomico County expenditures could increase or decrease depending upon the salary set by the county council. No effect on revenues.

Small Business Effect: None.

Fiscal Analysis

State Effect: The State is responsible for making the retirement contributions for the Wicomico County Sheriff. Expenditures could increase or decrease depending on the salary set by the county council. For illustrative purposes, the State contributes \$4,135 annually to the retirement of the Wicomico County Sheriff, based on the State's fiscal 1999 contribution rate of 7.13%.

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