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By: **Washington County Delegation**  
Introduced and read first time: January 30, 2002  
Assigned to: Commerce and Government Matters

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Washington County - County Commissioners - Salary**

3 FOR the purpose of increasing the salary for County Commissioners of Washington  
4 County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of  
5 the incumbent County Commissioners of Washington County; and generally  
6 relating to the salaries of the County Commissioners of Washington County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 The Public Local Laws of Washington County  
9 Section 1-103  
10 Article 22 - Public Local Laws of Maryland  
11 (1991 Edition and December 1997 Supplement, as amended)

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

14 **Article 22 - Washington County**

15 1-103.

16 (a) The annual salary for a County Commissioner is [~~\$20,000~~] \$30,000,  
17 payable as provided by the county's payroll system.

18 (b) The Commissioner elected President of the Board shall receive an  
19 additional [~~\$500~~] \$3,000 per year.

20 (c) Each County Commissioner is entitled to health insurance and to other  
21 fringe benefits regularly provided to county employees.

22 (d) A Commissioner may not receive any other compensation for services as a  
23 Washington County Commissioner.

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III,  
25 Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or  
26 apply to the salary or compensation of a County Commissioner of Washington County  
27 in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the

1 salary or compensation of a County Commissioner of Washington County shall take  
2 effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

3 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
4 October 1, 2002.