HOUSE BILL 1030

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By: **Cecil County Delegation** Introduced and read first time: February 8, 2002

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1 AN ACT concerning

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Cecil County - Sheriff - Salary

3 FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Sheriff of Cecil County; providing that

- 4 this Act does not apply to the salary of the incumbent Sheriff; and generally
- 5 relating to the salary of the Sheriff of Cecil County.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 7 Article Courts and Judicial Proceedings
- 8 Section 2-309(i)
- 9 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 10 (1998 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

12 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

13			Article	- Courts and Judicial Proceedings
14 2-309.				
15 (i) 16 OF:	(1)	(i)	The She	eriff of Cecil County shall receive an annual salary [of]
17			1.	\$47,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2002;
18			2.	\$50,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2003;
19			3.	\$51,500 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2004;

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1		4.	\$53,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2005; AND				
2 3	SUBSEQUENT YEAR.	5.	\$54,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2006 AND FOR EACH				
	(II) reimbursements for reasonable the Cecil County budget or by	expense	on, the Sheriff shall receive the benefits and s in the performance of duties as provided in uding, where appropriate:				
7 8	Regulations; and	1.	Reimbursements under the Standard State Travel				
9 10	county employees.	2.	Participation in the health care plan that is negotiated for				
11 [(ii)] (III) The Sheriff shall appoint a chief deputy sheriff, a 12 community adult rehabilitation center administrator, a detention center director, a 13 detention center deputy director, a law enforcement director, law enforcement 14 personnel, and a personal secretary to the Sheriff, who shall serve at the pleasure of 15 the Sheriff. The Sheriff may remove the chief deputy sheriff, community adult 16 rehabilitation center administrator, detention center director, detention center deputy 17 director, law enforcement director, and personal secretary to the Sheriff at any time 18 whether or not for cause.							
19[(iii)](IV)The Sheriff shall appoint full-time or part-time20employees, as provided in the county budget, to perform the duties of the Sheriff's21department. These employees shall include:							
22		1.	Deputy sheriffs to perform law enforcement functions;				
23		2.	Deputy sheriffs to perform correctional functions;				
24		3.	Clerical and other civilian employees;				
25		4.	A director of the detention center; and				
26		5.	A community adult rehabilitation center administrator.				
28	 [(iv)] (V) Except for the chief deputy sheriff, each employee of the Sheriff's department shall serve a probationary period of 12 months. The Sheriff may extend the probationary period for cause. 						
30 31	[(v)] Sheriff's department:	(VI)	During the probationary period of an employee in the				
32 33	certification or training progra	1. m specif	The employee shall satisfactorily complete any ied by the Sheriff; and				
			The determination of an employee's qualifications and nanent nonprobationary employee shall be				

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1 (VII) Except for the chief deputy sheriff, community adult [(vi)] 2 rehabilitation center administrator, detention center director, detention center deputy 3 director, law enforcement director, law enforcement personnel, and personal secretary 4 to the Sheriff, all employees of the Sheriff's department: 5 Shall be governed by the rank, salary, and benefit 1. 6 structures of the Cecil County personnel policy; and Upon completion of the probationary period, shall be 7 2. 8 subject to the Cecil County personnel regulations and policies in all matters. 9 (VIII) Nothing in this subsection shall affect the rights and [(vii)]10 protections accorded an employee under any other provision of law. 11 (2)The County Commissioners shall pay the cost of all necessary 12 expenses incurred by the Sheriff and his staff. 13 (3)The Sheriff of Cecil County shall have the authority to formulate and 14 administer a plan that includes the method of supervision to use inmates the Sheriff 15 deems eligible and selects to perform, under the supervision of State, county, or 16 municipal employees, tasks the Sheriff assigns within the county or any incorporated 17 municipality within the county. 18 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, 19 Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or 20 apply to the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Cecil County in office on the

21 effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or

22 compensation of the Sheriff of Cecil County shall take effect at the beginning of the 23 next following term of office.

24 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 25 October 1, 2002.

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