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By: **Cecil County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 19, 2002

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Cecil County - Commissioners - Authority to Set Salaries of Successors**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Cecil County Commissioners to raise the salaries  
4 of the County Commissioners of Cecil County by ordinance provided that the  
5 altered salaries may not take effect until the next following term of office after  
6 the adoption of the ordinance; and generally relating to the alteration of the  
7 salaries of the Cecil County Commissioners.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
9 The Public Local Laws of Cecil County  
10 Section 15-4  
11 Article 8 - Public Local Laws of Maryland  
12 (1989 Edition and November 2001 Supplement, as amended)

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

15 **Article 8 - Cecil County**

16 15-4.

17 A. Each member of the Board of County Commissioners shall receive a salary  
18 of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.) per year.

19 B. In addition, each member of the Board of County Commissioners of Cecil  
20 County shall receive the benefits and reimbursements for reasonable expenses in the  
21 performance of duties as provided in the Cecil County budget or by law, including,  
22 where appropriate:

23 (1) Reimbursements under the standard state travel regulations; and

24 (2) Participation in the health care plan that is negotiated for county  
25 employees.

1 C. They shall receive two thousand dollars (\$2,000.) per year to cover  
2 expenses, except that the President of the Board shall receive an additional five  
3 hundred dollars (\$500.).

4 D. In addition, for all mileage expenses and other expenses related to county  
5 business, each Commissioner shall submit a voucher to the County Treasurer for  
6 reimbursement.

7 E. NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION A. OF THIS SECTION, THE COUNTY  
8 COMMISSIONERS OF CECIL COUNTY MAY, BY ORDINANCE, RAISE THE SALARIES OF  
9 THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CECIL COUNTY IF THE ALTERATION IN SALARIES  
10 DOES NOT TAKE EFFECT UNTIL THE NEXT FOLLOWING TERM OF OFFICE AFTER THE  
11 ADOPTION OF THE ORDINANCE.

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
13 effect October 1, 2002.