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By: **Prince George's County Delegation**  
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Assigned to: Environmental Matters

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - State's Attorney's Office - Support Staff**  
3 **PG 307-04**

4 FOR the purpose of authorizing the State's Attorney in Prince George's County to  
5 appoint certain clerical, secretarial, and administrative staff for the office;  
6 providing that certain positions are classified according to the county pay and  
7 classification plan; providing that staff appointed to certain positions are subject  
8 to county personnel policies and procedures and the labor code for county  
9 employees; providing that salaries for certain positions are as provided in the  
10 county budget; providing that all employees of the office except those who are  
11 subject to county personnel policies and procedures serve at the pleasure of the  
12 State's Attorney; and generally relating to the State's Attorney's office in Prince  
13 George's County.

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
15 Article 10 - Legal Officials  
16 Section 40(q)  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland  
18 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

21 **Article 10 - Legal Officials**

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23 (q) In Prince George's County:

24 (1) (i) The State's Attorney's annual salary shall be:

25 1. \$107,775 for calendar year 1999;

26 2. \$107,775 for calendar year 2000;



1 \$59,000. The salary is to be paid by the county on the certification of the State's  
2 Attorney to the County Executive and County Council. The administrative assistant  
3 is not subject to the rules and regulations of the county merit system, but shall be  
4 entitled to all benefits provided for county employees under the merit system.

5 (8) (I) THE STATE'S ATTORNEY MAY APPOINT TO THE FOLLOWING  
6 POSITIONS CLERICAL, SECRETARIAL, AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF AS IN THE  
7 STATE'S ATTORNEY'S JUDGMENT MAY BE NECESSARY FOR THE PROPER CONDUCT OF  
8 THE OFFICE:

9 1. ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE I, II, III, AND IV AS CLASSIFIED IN  
10 THE COUNTY PAY AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN; AND

11 2. GENERAL CLERK I, II, III, AND IV AS CLASSIFIED IN THE  
12 COUNTY PAY AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN.

13 (II) AN EMPLOYEE APPOINTED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS  
14 PARAGRAPH:

15 1. IS SUBJECT TO THE COUNTY PERSONNEL POLICIES AND  
16 PROCEDURES AND LABOR CODE GOVERNING COUNTY EMPLOYEES; AND

17 2. SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY AS PROVIDED IN THE COUNTY  
18 BUDGET.

19 (9) (I) THE STATE'S ATTORNEY SHALL APPOINT ALL EMPLOYEES OF  
20 THE OFFICE.

21 (II) EXCEPT FOR EMPLOYEES SUBJECT TO THE COUNTY  
22 PERSONNEL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES, ALL EMPLOYEES SERVE AT THE PLEASURE  
23 OF THE STATE'S ATTORNEY.

24 [(8)] (10) The salary and expenses of the State's Attorney, the deputy  
25 State's Attorneys, and the assistant State's Attorneys shall be paid in equal  
26 semimonthly installments.

27 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
28 October 1, 2004.