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CHAPTER_____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Wicomico County - Orphans' Court Judges - Salary**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the salaries of the judges of the Orphans' Court for
 4 Wicomico County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or
 5 compensation of the incumbent judges of the Orphans' Court for Wicomico
 6 County; and generally relating to the salaries of the judges of the Orphans'
 7 Court for Wicomico County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
 9 Article - Estates and Trusts
 10 Section 2-108(w)
 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
 12 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)

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

15 **Article - Estates and Trusts**

16 2-108.

17 (w) Each judge of the Court for Wicomico County shall receive an annual
 18 salary of [\$3,200] \$6,400 to be paid quarterly. Each judge shall also receive an annual
 19 allowance for traveling expenses of \$1,560 to be paid quarterly.

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, §
 21 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to
 22 the salary or compensation of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Wicomico County

1 in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the
2 salary or compensation of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Wicomico County shall
3 take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

4 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
5 October 1, 2006.