

# HOUSE BILL 686

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By: **Calvert County Delegation**

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Assigned to: Environmental Matters

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

### 2 **Calvert County – Sheriff – ~~Pension~~ Compensation**

3 FOR the purpose of providing that the Board of County Commissioners for Calvert  
4 County may make certain payments on or ~~before~~ after a certain date equal to a  
5 certain amount to certain individuals serving as the Sheriff of Calvert County  
6 for certain periods of employment as the Sheriff of Calvert County; ~~on or before~~  
7 ~~a certain date who elected to participate in the Calvert County Employees'~~  
8 ~~Savings Plan on or after a certain date; providing for the termination of this~~  
9 ~~Act; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the~~  
10 incumbent Sheriff of Calvert County; and generally relating to pensions for  
11 sheriffs of Calvert County.

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
14 Section 2-309(f)(1)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2008 Supplement)

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

19 ~~(a) This section applies to an individual who:~~

20 ~~(1) on or before July 1, 2009, serves as the Sheriff of Calvert County;~~

21 ~~and~~

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



~~(2) on or after July 1, 2008, elected to participate in the Calvert County Employees' Savings Plan.~~

~~(b) On or before June 30, 2010, the Board of County Commissioners for Calvert County may pay an individual described in subsection (a) of this section an amount equal to the amount of contributions the Board of County Commissioners would have made to the Calvert County Employees' Savings Plan on behalf of the individual for the years of service the individual accrued as Sheriff of Calvert County prior to joining the Calvert County Employees' Savings Plan.~~

~~(c) The amount payable in subsection (b) of this section may be made in one or more payments as deemed appropriate by the Board of County Commissioners for Calvert County.~~

## **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

**2-309.**

**(f) (1) (I) The Sheriff of Calvert County shall receive an annual salary of:**

**[(i)] 1. \$78,000 for calendar year 2006;**

**[(ii)] 2. \$81,000 for calendar year 2007;**

**[(iii)] 3. \$84,000 for calendar year 2008; and**

**[(iv)] 4. \$87,000 for calendar year 2009 and each subsequent calendar year.**

**(II) 1. ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2011, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY PAY TO THE SHERIFF ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTIONS THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WOULD HAVE MADE TO THE CALVERT COUNTY EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS PLAN ON BEHALF OF THE SHERIFF FOR THE YEARS OF SERVICE THE SHERIFF ACCRUED AS THE SHERIFF OF CALVERT COUNTY PRIOR TO JOINING THE CALVERT COUNTY EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS PLAN.**

**2. THE AMOUNT PAYABLE IN SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 1 OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH MAY BE MADE IN ONE OR MORE PAYMENTS AS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.**

**SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, § 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Calvert County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of**

1 the Sheriff of Calvert County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following  
2 term of office.

3       SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
4 effect July 1, 2009. ~~It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and, at the end of~~  
5 ~~June 30, 2010, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall~~  
6 ~~be abrogated and of no further force and effect.~~

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.