

## CHAPTER 452

(House Bill 1326)

AN ACT concerning

### Frederick County – State’s Attorney – Annual Salary

FOR the purpose of altering the annual salary of the State’s Attorney for Frederick County; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent State’s Attorney; and generally relating to the State’s Attorney for Frederick County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
Article – Criminal Procedure  
Section 15–411(a)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2008 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – Criminal Procedure  
Section 15–411(b)(1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2008 Replacement Volume)

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

#### Article – Criminal Procedure

15–411.

(a) This section applies only in Frederick County.

(b) (1) The State’s Attorney’s annual salary is equal to the salary of a [judge of the District Court of Maryland] **CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE**.

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 State’s Attorney for Frederick County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the State’s Attorney for Frederick County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2009.

**Approved by the Governor, May 7, 2009.**