whom shall hold office at the pleasure of the Sheriff and be removed at any time the Sheriff may elect, or by the Circuit Court for Howard County upon indictment and conviction as provided by law. The County Commissioners may prescribe and provide for the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the Sheriff and said deputies. The Sheriff may also appoint temporarily such additional deputy sheriffs as he may deem necessary for the public safety and the County Commissioners shall allow reasonable compensation for same, but such deputies shall not serve longer than the case actually warrants.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of the members elected to each of the two houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 30, 1965.

CHAPTER 190

(Senate Bill 491)

- AN ACT to add new Section 61B to the Code of Public Local Laws of Howard County (1957 Edition, being Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Howard County", subtitle "County Commissioners and County Collectors", to follow immediately after Section 61A thereof, as added by Chapters 529 and 770 of the Acts of 1961, relating to the payment of retired regular employees of Howard County.
- SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Section 61B be and it is hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Howard County (1957 Edition, being Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Howard County", sub-title "County Commissioners and County Collectors", to follow immediately after Section 61A thereof, as added by Chapters 529 and 770 of the Acts of 1961, and to read as follows:
- 61A. Any regular employee of Howard County, including any regular employee of the Board of Education, shall have the right to retire, and the Board of County Commissioners may effect the retirement of any such employee, when he or she shall have reached the age of 65 years. In the event that such employee shall have been employed by said county for a period of 15 years prior to the date of his or her retirement under the provisions hereof, the said Board of County Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to pay unto such retired person an annual sum of \$1,200.00, payable in equal monthly installments on the first day of each and every month during the lifetime of such retired person, accounting from the date of such retirement.

The term "regular employee" as used herein shall not be construed to include an employee who is employed periodically or intermittently,