

Law and Attorneys in Fact, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact

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(e) (1) In Calvert County the State's Attorney's salary is [(\$15,000.00)] \$22,500 annually. He may, with the approval of the County Commissioners, appoint ~~an assistant~~ A DEPUTY whose salary shall be set by the Commissioners.

(2) The ~~assistant~~ DEPUTY State's attorney shall serve at the pleasure of the State's Attorney and have the same legal power as the State's Attorney to represent the State before the grand jury and at the trial of criminal proceedings.

[(3) The County Commissioners shall furnish the State's Attorney a secretary.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act shall not be construed to extend or apply to the salary of the persons specified by this Act in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary of the persons specified by this Act 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 July 1, 1977.

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 959

(House Bill 1281)

AN ACT concerning

Tax Credits - Local Property Taxes

FOR the purpose of creating a program of tax credits against certain real property taxes upon certain conditions; providing that any credits provided by this Act are to be subtracted from any allowable credit as provided under Section 12F-1 of Article 81; and providing the method of calculating the tax credit.