

general administrative supervision of the Administrator, shall

(1) Develop plans and procedures for the assignment of criminal cases for arraignment, hearing of motions, special proceedings, trial, motion for new trial, and disposition before the judges sitting in the Criminal Court of Baltimore.

(2) Assign all criminal cases for prompt arraignment, trial, or other indicated action by the court; and perform all related duties as determined by the Supreme Bench.

(3) Maintain such records and statistics and perform such other duties as the Supreme Bench may, from time to time, direct.

(c) The State's Attorney for Baltimore City shall hereafter be relieved from the responsibility of assigning criminal cases for trial or other purposes before the Judges sitting in the Criminal Court of Baltimore.]

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That as to any position that is ~~filled~~ authorized after June 30, 1982 and that, under the provisions enacted under Section 1 of this Act, would have been subject to the Personnel Merit System for the Circuit Court for Baltimore City if it had been ~~filled~~ authorized on or before June 30, 1982:

(1) The position shall be considered temporary as of the effective date of this Act; and

(2) On or before April 1, 1983, the Director shall determine whether the position shall be permanent, remain temporary, or be eliminated.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) Except as provided in Section 3 of this Act, an employee ~~who whose position~~ is transferred to the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore City ~~under--the Constitutional--Amendments--proposed-by-Chapter-----of-the Acts-of-1980-(H.B.-----)-(01r3623)-or--(S.B.-----)-(01r0746),~~ and who is subject to the Personnel Merit System for the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore City under the provisions of § 1 of this Act, shall be appointed without further examination or qualification. The employee shall be placed in a classification that is comparable in duties and responsibilities to the employee's former position.

(b) The employee may not suffer a diminution of salary or wages, accrued leave, whether earned or granted, or seniority rights.