

~~Article — State Personnel and Pensions
Section 26-201 and 26-202(b)(1)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)~~

~~BY adding to~~

~~Article — Education
Section 16-513
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2004 Replacement Volume and 2005 Supplement)~~

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

Article - Criminal Procedure

2-101.

(c) "Police officer" means a person who in an official capacity is authorized by law to make arrests and is:

- (1) a member of the Department of State Police;
- (2) a member of the Police Department of Baltimore City;
- (3) a member of the Baltimore City School Police Force;
- (4) a member of the police department, bureau, or force of a county;
- (5) a member of the police department, bureau, or force of a municipal corporation;
- (6) a member of the Maryland Transit Administration Police Force or Maryland Transportation Authority Police Force;
- (7) a member of the University of Maryland Police Force or Morgan State University Police Force;
- (8) a special police officer who is appointed to enforce the law and maintain order on or protect property of the State or any of its units;
- (9) a member of the Department of General Services security force;
- (10) the sheriff of a county whose usual duties include the making of arrests;
- (11) a regularly employed deputy sheriff of a county who is compensated by the county and whose usual duties include the making of arrests;
- (12) a member of the Natural Resources Police Force of the Department of Natural Resources;